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Feb 1855 Journal of a voyage from New- North Atlantic Ocean

Tuesday

Feb 19th At 4 P.M. all hands aboard. Strong wind
Civil time from N.W. double reefed topsails, took
one anchor and stood out. Discharged
pilot, stowed anchors and stood to sea
Steering S by E until 12 o'clock then steered
S.P.E. gale increasing. Latter part moderate
breeze. Spoke bark Franklin Boston.

Wednesday

Feb 20th Continues to blow from N.W. at 3 P.M.
in edge of Gulf Stream Steering S.P.E.
Therm 56° Lat 38.40 North
Long 69.05 West

Thursday

Feb 21st Moderate breeze varying from N. to
S.P.E. and cloudy. Steering S.E. by E
Therm 56° Lat 36.22 N
Long 67.10 W

Friday

22nd Moderate breeze from N.W. Steering S.
E by E Therm 58° Lat 35.38 N
Long 66.37 W

Saturday

23rd Light breezes veering from N.W. to W.
Steering S.E. by E Therm 58° Lat 36.35 N
Long 62.35 W

Sunday

24th Commenced with fresh breeze from
W. and cloudy soon increased to gale
and lasted during the day Therm 61° Lat 33.38 N
Long 59.40 W

Monday

25th Commenced with gale from W. and
increased during the night. Handed fur
latter part of forenoon Steering S.E. Therm 62° Lat 32.10 N
Long 56.49 W

Bedford to the Pacific Ocean on board bark "Cousin". North Atlantic Ocean

Tuesday
 Feb 26th

Continues to blow from N.E. Mid part
 Moderates, made sail. Latter part fresh
 breeze from N.W. Lat 30.33 N.
 Sun 26th 7th day Lon 54.36 W.

Wednesday
 27th

Commenced with squall from W. with rain
 mid to latter part fresh breeze from N.E. to
 fair. Steering E.S.E. Lat 28.54 N.
 Sun 27th 8th day Lon 51.21 W.

Thursday
 28th

Moderate breeze from W by N and fair. Steering
 E by S. Sun 28th 9th day Lon 49.10 W.

Friday
 29th

First part fresh breeze from W by N to fair
 latter part strong breeze from N.W. and
 raining. Steering E.S.E. Lat 27.55 N.
 Sun 29th 10th day Lon 46.00 W.

Saturday
 Mar 1st

Commenced with moderate breeze from
 N.E. by N with rain squalls. Mid to latter
 part light breeze from N.W. and fair.
 Steering S.E. to S.E. by E Lat 27.24 N.
 Sun 30th 11th day Lon 43.18 W.

Sunday
 Mar 2nd

All these 24 hrs moderate breeze from N.W.
 and fair. Steering S.E. by S. and ship
 bound. Lat 25.41 N.
 Sun 31st 12th day Lon 41.10 W.

Monday
 Mar 3rd

Fresh breeze from N.E. and fair. Steering
 S.E. by S. and 2 sails. Lat 23.46 N.
 Sun 1st 13th day Lon 39.05 W.

Tuesday
 Mar 4th

Moderate breeze from N.E. and fair. Began
 to furl sail flying fil to gaff. Steering
 S.E. Lat 21.18 N.
 Sun 2nd 14th day Lon 37.29 W.

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1856
Weeks
Mar 5th

All these 24 hrs. breeze unsteady varying from S by E to E, S, E with squalls. Saw number sails bound to W. Hoisted out Starboard pump found it full of worm holes. Steering from S by E to S by W

15th day Sun 72° Lat 18° 50' N
Lon 36° 55' W

Thurs
Mar 6th

Pleasant gales varying from E by S to S, E. Set up Starboard fore & main lower and topmast rigging. Steering S by E

16th day Sun 78° Lat 16° 30' N
Lon 35° 55' W

Friday
Mar 7th

Commenced with fresh breeze from E, S, E to fair. Mid & latter part moderate breeze S by E to S

17th day Sun 78° Lat 14° 00' N
Lon 35° 19' W

Sat
Mar 8th

Fresh breeze from E and fair. Saw several sails bound to W. Steering S by E

18th day Sun 78° Lat 10° 23' N
Lon 34° 11' W

Sun
Mar 9th

All these 24 hrs. fresh breeze from E, S, E to fair. Steering S by E

Lat 7° 40' N
Lon 33° 16' W

Mon
Mar 10th

Fresh breeze from N. E. and fair. Steering S by E

20th day Sun 80° Lat 32° 00' N
Lon 32° 00' W

Tues
Mar 11th

Commenced with fresh breeze from E & cloudy to A. M. moderate & rainy. Latter part moderate breeze from E and cloudy. Steering S by E

Lat 2° 46' N
Lon 31° 15' W

21st day Sun 80°

Pacific Ocean on board bark Cutter
1850 South Atlantic Ocean

Reds.
Mar 12th Commenced with moderate breeze from
End and cloudy. Mid. part light breezes and
rainy. Latter part cloudy and calm
Steering S. by E. to P On the Equator
22nd day Thru 84th Lon 30th 40th W

Mar 13th Light variable winds with rain squalls
Steering from S by W to N. P. W.
23rd day Thru 88th Lat 1st 10 South
Lon 31st 02 West

Friday
Mar 14th First part moderate breeze from S. E. and fair
Latter part light breezes varying from S. E. to
P. S. W. 24th day Thru 89th Lat 2nd 45 S.
Lon 32nd 05 W.

Mar 15th Light breezes from End and squally first
part. Latter part light breeze from E. S. E.
At 2 P. M. made the island Fernando de
Noronha bearing S. S. W. dist 40 miles. At
4 bearing S. W. by S dist 35 miles
25th day Thru 85th Lat 3rd 26 S.
Lon 32nd 12 W.

Mar 16th Commenced calm. Fer. de Noronha bearing
S. W. by S dist. 35 miles. Breeze sprung up
from S. E. Hood to P. S. W. but could not
weather the land. Tacked off and back. Passed
few miles to windward of island. Where
had two severe squalls with rain mid. to
Latter part moderate breeze from S. E. to fair
Steering by the wind Lat 5th 02 S.
Lon 32nd 41 W.
26th day Thru 87th

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Monday
Mar 17th All these 24 hrs moderate breeze from
S.E. to E by N and fair. Heaving from
S by S to S.S.E. Lat 7. 55 S
27th day Thun 89. Lon 32. 53 W.

Tuesday
Mar 18th All these 24 hrs light breeze from E by N
Heaving S.S.E. Lat 9. 27 S
28th day Thun 89 Lon 32. 00 W.

Wednesday
Mar 19th Light breezes from E by N first 4 mid
part. Latter part calm. Heaving S by N
29th day Thun 88 Lat 10. 26 S
Lon 32. 02 W.

Thursday
Mar 20th Light breezes from S.S.E. and fair. Latter
part hauled to S.E. Heaving S by N
30th day Thun 87 Lat 12. 10 N
Lon 32. 57 W.

Friday
Mar 21st All these 24 hrs light breezes from E by and
fair. Latter part spoke ship "Britia's" swift
Warren. Bound home Lat 13. 55 N
31st day Thun 87 Lon 33. 50 W.

Sat.
Mar 22^d Moderate breeze from S.E. and rainy.
Heaving S by N Lat 14. 30 S
32^d day Thun 86 Lon 34. 41 W.

Sund.
Mar 23^d Fresh breeze varying from S to S.S.E. and
fair. Heaving from W.S.W. to S by N
33^d day Thun 84 Lat 16. 34 W
Lon 37. 03 W.

Mon
Mar 24 Moderate breeze from E S E to S.E. and fair
Sunset hauled light sails and hauled
off shore. At daylight hauled to S.E.
34th day Thun 84 Lat 17. 11 S
Lon 38. 33 W.

The Pacific Ocean on board Bark Courier
South Atlantic Ocean

1850

Thurs
Mar 25th

Light breeze from S^W and fine weather
Under short sail through the night
35th day Jan 83 Lat 13..20 S
Lon 37..30 W

Wednes

Mar 26th

All these 24 hrs. light breeze from E.S.E. & fair
during P.M. Lat 13..20 S
36th day Jan 82 Lon 37..46 W

Thurs

Mar 27

Light breeze from E.N.E. and pleasant
during P.M. Lat 22..08 S
37th day Jan 83 Lon 38..00 W

Fri

Mar 28th

First part light breeze from N.E. latter part
moderate breeze from N.E. and fair during
P.M. Lat 23..08 S
38th day Jan 82 Lon 38..32 W

Sat

Mar 29th

Fresh breeze from N.E. and cloudy. During
P.M. S. land sig. during P.M. Lat 24..41 S
39th day Jan 82 Lon 40..08 W

Sund

Mar 30th

Moderate breeze from N^W and rainy first
part. latter part fair. Saw 3 sails, Sund P.M.
during P.M. Lat 26..20 S
40th day Jan 82 Lon 42..11 W

Mon

Mar 31st

First part light breeze from N.W. & cloudy
latter part fresh. 3 P.M. wind hauled to S.W.
in squall and cleared off pleasant day P.M.
Lat 28..10 S
41st day Jan 83 Lon 43..45 W

Tues

Apr 1st

All these 24 hrs. moderate gale from S.E. & under
double reef. during P.M. with heavy head wind
Lat 29..05 S
42nd day Jan 83 Lon 44..42 W

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1858

Tues
Apr 2^d

All these 24 hrs strong breeze from End with squalls and rain. Steering S W by S At 1 P.M. saw sperm whs bound to windward lowered two boats in chase. Starboard boat captured one, the rest went to windward

43rd day

Lat 30° 51' S.
Lon 46° 25' W.



Wednes
Apr 3^d

All these 24 hrs steady gale from N.E. A.M. cut in whale. Ship under storm sails on East^{erly} tack

44th day. Therm 74° Lat 30° 57' S.
Lon 47° 09' W.

Thurs
Apr 4th

Steady gale varying from N.E. to S. Latter part squally and rainy. Boiled whs head saw a large clipper bound S.W. At 1 P.M. wind hauled suddenly to S.E. in heavy squall with thunder & lightning

45th day. Therm 76° Lat 31° 38' S.
Lon 48° 55' W.

Friday
Apr 5th

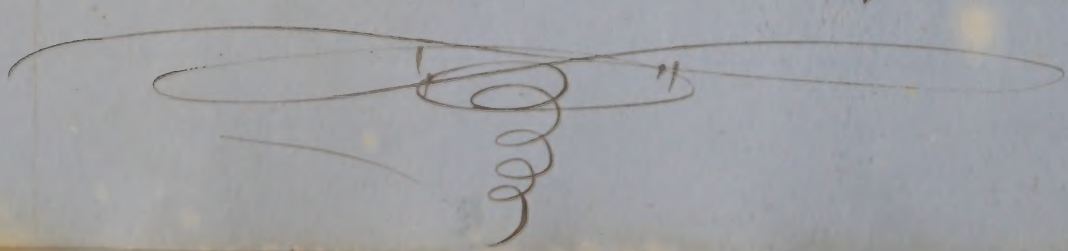
First part light airs from S^{outh} and fair. Mid part rainy. Latter part light breeze from S^{outh} and fair. Finished boiling

46th day. Therm 78° Lat 30° 50' S.
Lon 46° 15' W.

Satur
Apr 6th

First & middle part light breezes from E.N.E. and fair. Latter part strong breeze from N.E. with rain. Steering S S W

47th day. Therm 71° Lat 32° 28' S.
Lon 47° 55' W.



Pacific Ocean on board Sargue Course South Atlantic Ocean

856
on 7th Commenced with gale from N.E. to rain
mid and latter part light breeze from
Wnd and fair. Steering P.S.W.
28th day Thu 12^o Lat 34. 24 S
Lon 49. 04 W.

857
on 8th First part light breeze from P.W. and fair
At 12 o'clock wind hauled to P and increased
to a gale with rain. Shortened sail to close
reefed topsails. At P.M. wore ship to P.E. Fair
29th day Thu 13^o Lat 34. 36 S
Lon 50. 12 W.

858
on 9th First part gale from P.S.W. mid to latter
part moderate breeze from P.S.W. Steering
by the wind to P.E.
30th day Thu 14^o Lat 35. 24 S
Lon 49. 04 W.

859
on 10th All these 24 hrs Steady breeze varying from
P.W. to W. Steering by the wind
31st day Fri 15^o Lat 36. 54 S
Lon 48. 44 W.

860
on 11th First and middle part fresh breeze from
W and fair. Latter part light breeze from
N.W. and hazy. Steering P.S.W.
32nd day Sat 16^o Lat 39. 11 S
Lon 49. 55 W.

861
on 12th First and middle part light breeze from
N.W. and hazy. Latter part strong breeze
from W.S.W. and fair. Steering S.W. by P.S.W.
23rd day Sun 17^o Lat 40. 43 S
Lon 51. 10 W.



Journal of voyage from N Bedford to South Atlantic

1856

Apr
Apr 13th

Commenced with gale from S.W.
Mid part hauled suddenly to S.E.
and increased. Latter part moderates
and hauled to N.E. Lat 51° 57'
54th day Thru 63 L 51° 54'

Mon

Apr 14th

First part light breeze from S.E. middle
and latter part gale from S.E. and
rain. Steering S.W. Lat 53° 00' W.
55th day Thru 54 L 53° 10' W

Tues

Apr 15th

Commenced with a gale from S.E.
with steady rain. Middle part hauled
to W. S.W. and cleared away. Latter part
steady gale and fair Lat 55° 20' S.
56th day Thru 54 L 55° 16' W.

Wednes

Apr 16th

First and middle part gale from W. S.W.
latter part hauled to W. Lat 56° 47' S.
57th day Thru 56 L 56° 04' W.

Thurs

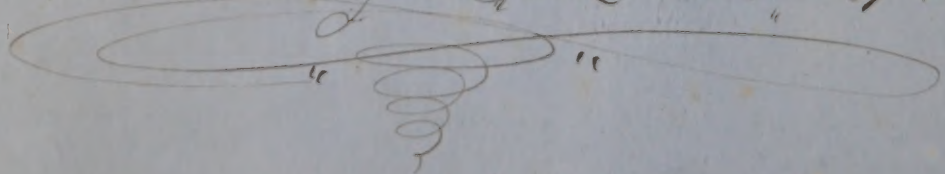
Apr 17th

Commenced with a gale from W. S.W.
Middle part moderates. Latter part fresh
breeze from S.W. Sent down fire ship Gallop
yard and took in waist boat Lat 57° 37' S.
58th day Thru 63 L 57° 53' W.

Friday

Apr 18th

All these 24 hrs wind varying from S.W.
to W. with squalls rain & hail. An
different facks Lat 58° 46' S.
59th day Thru 62 L 57° 42' W.



the Pacific Ocean on board Sargol Courier

South Atlantic

1856
Apr 19th

First part gale from W.S.W. mid to latter part moderates down to double reef
Heading S by S by W. Lat 50° 06' P
60th day Jan 50 Lon 57° 48 W.

Apr 20th All these 24 hrs gale from W.S.W. and heavy squalls. At 9 AM made Falkland Islands 13 P.M. off Port William. Lighthouse bearing N. dist 6 miles
61st day Jan 50 Of Port William

Apr 21st First and middle part gale from W.S.W. latter part moderates. Heading from S to S.S.W.
62nd day Jan 50 Lat 58° 15 South Lon 58° 15 Lat 52° 53

Apr 22nd Double reef gales from S.W. and squally ship on different tacks
63rd day Jan 50 Lat 53° 31 P Lon 58° 00 W

Apr 23rd First and middle part light breeze from W.S.W. and raining. Latter part wind hauled suddenly in a very violent squall from S.W.
64th day Jan 50 Lat by Dk 54° 10 P
Bar 28.50 Lon " " 50° 00 W.

Apr 24th Commenced with a gale from S.W. and gradually to E.S.E. with fog and rain. Latter part moderates and hauled to it
Heading S.W. Lat by Dk 54° 17 P
65th day Jan 50 Lon " " 51° 23 W

Apr 25th Commenced with light breeze from E.S.E. and raining. increased to a gale. Latter part moderates and hauled gradually to P.
66th day Jan 50 Lat 55° 38 P Lon 62° 34 W

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1858
Apr 25th
Sat

First part light variable wind and fair
latter part fresh breeze from W and fine
weather. Made Staten land bearing
N.W. true dist 40 miles Sat 55. 30 P.
57th day Thun 50 Sun 13. 13 W.

Sunday
Apr 27th

Commenced with a moderate gale from
N.W. with rain. Bearing P.W. Middle and
latter part pleasant breeze from S.W. Made
New Island 2 P.M. tacked off shore Island
dist 15 miles Sat 55. 26 W.
58th day Thun 38 Sun 56. 06 W.

Monday
Apr 28th

Commenced with a gale from S.S.W. and
rain. Middle part moderates. Latter part
moderate breeze from S.W. and squally
a barque in company to Windward
59th day Thun 50 Sat 55. 43 P.
Sun 55. 06 W.

Tuesday
Apr 29th

First part light breeze from N.E. and rising
Middle part calm. Latter part fresh breeze
from S.S.E. Made Deced and Barnevelt's
Islands. 2 P.M. tacked off. land distant
10 miles 70th day Thun 37 Sat 55. 00 P.
Sun 56. 21 W.

Wednes
Apr 30th

First and middle part strong S.W. gale
winds and squally. Latter part increased
to a gale. In opposite tacks Sat 56. 20 P.
71th day Thun 38 Sun 56. 33 W.

Thurs
May 1st

All these 24 hrs a violent gale from W.S.W.
with very heavy squalls. Handed main
top sail. Gunway board above in by sea
72nd day Thun 38
Sun 29. 55

Pacific Ocean on board Sargue Course

Cape Horn

856
Friday
May 2^d

First part continues to blow. Latter part abates. We ship and set close reefed topsails heading from W.P.W. to N.W. Lat 55. 41 P
73rd day Jan 38 Bar 29.50

Lat
May 3^d

Commenced with a gale from S.E. and hauled to South. Latter part hauled to S.P.W. First part snow squalls. Latter part cloudy. Lat 55. 02 P
74th day Jan 35 Lat 55. 24 W.

Lat
May 4th

First part moderate gale from S.W. Middle part hauled to N.W. with rain and increased. Latter part hauled to W. under close reef. Lat 55. 48 P
75th day Jan 38 Lat 55. 55 W.

Lat
May 5th

All these 24 hrs gale from W.P.W. and squally. Latter part increases. Squalls very violent as much as close reefed main topsail can stand. On different tacks. Lat 55. 58 P
76th day Bar 29.40 Lat 55. 23 W.

Lat
May 6th

First and Middle part heavy gale from W.P.W. with squalls of rain and hail. Latter part moderates. Set close reefs and courses. Lat 55. 57 P
77th day Bar 29.50 Jan 38 Lat 55. 37 W.

Lat
May 7th

Strong breeze from W.P.W. all these 24 hrs. Paid two barks one bound E the other W. Lat 55. 37 W.
78th day Jan 38 Bar 30.00 to the

John

Journal of a voyage from Bedford to the Cape Horn

1856

Thurs
May 8th

Blowing a gale from Wnd all these 24 hrs
79th day Thurs 38 Bar 29.600m 56. " 51 W.

Friday
May 9th

First part strong gale from Wnd and rainy
Mid part hauled to S.W. and more moderate.
 Latter part strong breeze from W
Exchanged signals with French barge
80th day broke Thurs No obs.

Sat
May 10th

Ready Gale from W.S.W. Latter part
very violent squalls. Goose-winged man
Topsail 81st day Sat 56. " 51 P.

Sun
May 11th

Commenced with violent gale from S.W.
with heavy hail squalls. Latter part
moderates. In company with French
bark Harmonia
82nd day Sat 56. " 37 P.
L 66. " 22 W.

Mon
May 12th

Commenced with moderate breeze from
W.S.W. Latter part strong breeze
83rd day P Sat 57. " 17 P.
L 66. " 40 W.

Tues
May 13th

Commenced with moderate gale from
Wnd with some rain. Latter part light
breeze from Snd and calm
84th day Sat 57. " 37 P.
L 66. " 34 W.

Wednes
May 14th

All these 24 hrs pleasant breeze from
W.S.W. and heavy latter part fair
during by the wind S.W.
85th day Sat 57. " 59 W.
L 66. " 02 W.

Pacific Ocean on Board Sargue Courier

1856

Cape Horn

May 15th Light breeze from N.W. and fine weather all these 24 hrs. At daylight saw two icebergs and large quantity small ice to leeward
86th day Lat 58° 20' S.
Lon 58° or W.

May 16th First part fresh breeze from N.W. and foggy. Mid part light breeze. Latter part fresh breeze and rainy. Heading from S.W. by W. to W. 58° 20' S.
87th day Lat 57° 15' W South
Lon 72° 55' W

Commenced with a fresh breeze from N.W. with rain. Middle part hauled to S.W. and suddenly increased to a gale. Latter part moderates and hauled to W. N.W.
88th day Lat 57° 15' South
Lon 73° 14' W.

May 18th First part came on to blow a moderate gale from N.W. and continues through the 24 hrs. Heading on the S. East
89th day

May 19th Commenced with moderate gale from N.W. Bar falling. At 9 P.M. increases to a severe gale and continues 3 hrs. Then moderates. Two topmast staysail masts parted. Halyards, tack and wind overboard succeeded in saving sail. Ship under Goose-winged main topsail and triskin staysail heading to S.
90th day Bar 28.00 Lat 58° 25'
Lon 73° 52'

May 20th Commenced with a light breeze from N.W. Mid & latter part gale from West with frequent snow squalls. Heading N.W. by W.
91th day Lat 57° 15'

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1855

Wednes

May 21st Steady gale varying from S.W. to S.W.
Heaving S.W. by W. & W. Lat 55. 25
92 day Lon 76. 42

Thurs

May 22^d All these 24 hrs violent gale from S.W.
with very heavy squalls of hail & snow
Heaving S.W. by W. Lat 56. 15 S
93 day Lon 77. 00 W

Fri
May 23^d

Commenced with a violent gale from
S.W. with hail squalls. Latter part
moderates. Made sail Heaving W. S. W.
94 day Lat 52. 45 S
Lon 78. 20 W

Sat

May 24 Commenced with a moderate breeze
from W. S. W. and cloudy. Mid & latter
part hailed S.W. by W. S. W. Lat 50. 47 S
95 day Lon 79. 00 W

Sun

May 25th All these 24 hrs light breezes varying from
S.W. to W. with clear & cloudy weather
96 day Lat 50. 16 S
Lon 78. 50 W

Mon

May 26th Commenced calm. Middle & latter
part light breeze from S. S. E. Heaving
S.W. by S. S. E. Exchanged signals with Capt. id
97 day Lat 49. 33 S
Lon 78. 42 W

Tues

May 27th Fresh breeze from E. S. E. all these 24 hrs &
cloudy weather. Heaving S. S. W. by
S. W. by S. S. W. Lat 46 50 S
98 day Lon 78. 00 W

to the Pacific Ocean on board Barque C₇

South Pacific

- 1856
Wednes
May 2nd
Light breeze from E. P.E. and foggy
all these 2nd hrs. During N.W.W.
99th day Lat 46. 35
Long 79. 30
- Thurs
May 29th
Light breeze from S.E. first part and hauled
in middle and latter part to N. Lowered
2 boats and captured four black fishes. aboard
boat Hove 100th day Lat 43. 20 S.
Long 79. 52 W.
- Fri
May 30th
Strong breeze from N.W. and rainy
all 2nd hrs. 101st day To obs,
- Sat
May 31st
Commenced with light breeze from
N.W. & rainy. Middle and latter part
light breeze from S.W. and foggy
During N.W.W.
102nd day Lat 41. 00 S.
Long 79. 52 W.
- Sund
June 1st
First part light breeze from N.E. Middle
part strong breeze from N.W. and raining
latter part hauled to W. & moderates. During
N.W. 103rd day Lat 41. 10 S.
Long 80. 25 W.
- Mon
June 2nd
Light breeze from S.W. and fair latter part
lowered boats for spr. wh. going quick to
windward. Chased until sunset without
success. During N.W. 104th day Lat 39. 50 S.
Long 80. 15 W.
- Tues
June 3rd
Commenced calm. Middle to latter part
fresh breeze from N.W. Saw 2 sails
105th day Lat 39. 30 S.
Long 78. 17 W.

Call

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Wedns
June 1st

Commenced with moderate breeze from
N.W. and latter part increases to
moderate gale with rain. No obs

Thurs

June 2nd

Commenced with strong breeze
from N.W. and rainy. Wind and
latter part fresh breeze from Wnd and
squally. 106th day Lat 38° 01' S
Lon 78° 33' W

Fri

June 3rd

Light and variable part gale from
S.W. and squally. Latter part moderate
steering N.W. 107th day Lat 35° 13' S
Lon 78° 36' W

Sat

June 4th

Moderate breeze from Wnd and fair.
Made the Island Juan Fernandez at
daylight. Sunset Juan dist 8 miles
108th day Lat 33° 45' S
Lon 79° 17' W

Sund

June 5th

Fresh breeze from Wnd latter part rainy
steering by the wind 109th day Lat 31° 06' S
Lon 79° 19' W

Mon

June 6th

Moderate breeze from S.W. and fine weather
steering W. by W. 110th day Lat 29° 26' S
Lon 80° 00' W

Tues

June 7th

Light breeze from S.E. and cloudy
steering W. by S. 111th day No obs

Wedns

June 8th

Light variable breezes and calms.
Captured a blackfish. steering W. by W.
112th day No obs

Pacific Ocean on board Barken Courier

South Pacific

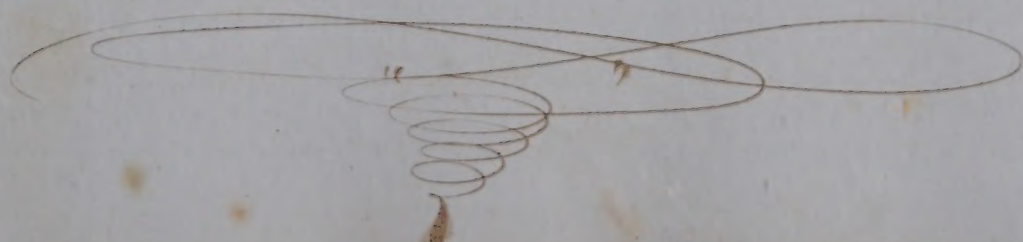
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 1st 1/2
 Fresh breeze from N. N. W. and fair. Saw ship
 Heering P. E. Lat. 25. 35 S.
 113th day Lon 80. 58 W.
- 1st 1/2
 Strong breeze from W. N. W. and fair
 114th day Lat. 25. 55 S.
 Lon 81. 25 W.
- 1st 1/2
 Double reef topsail breeze from W. N. W. and
 hazy 115th day Lat. 25. 55 S.
 Lon 80. 39 W.
- 1st 1/2
 First and middle part gale from N. W. latter
 part moderates and hauled to W.
 116th day No obs.
- 1st 1/2
 Moderate breeze from S. E. and fair. Saw
 large ship Heering N. E. Lat. 23. 27 S.
 117th day Lon 81. 15 W.
- 1st 1/2
 Light breeze from S. E. clear & cloudy
 Heering W. N. W. Heavy swell from S. E.
 118th day Lat. 22. 18 S.
 Lon 82. 07 W.
- 1st 1/2
 Moderate breeze from S. E. & cloudy
 Heering W. N. W. No obs.
 119th day
- 1st 1/2
 Light breeze from S. E. and cloudy
 Heering W. N. W. Lat. 21. 05 S.
 120th day Lon 87. 16 W.
- 1st 1/2
 Fresh breeze from S. E. and fair. Saw
 W. N. W. hoisted sail at sunset. Saw
 great number firebrakes Lat. 21. 08 S.
 121th day Lon 89. 58 W.

Journal of voyage from Bedford to Anchor ground

- 1856
 June 1st Variable calms winds, calms, and squalls. 12th day Lat 20° 12' S. Lon 90° 50' W.
- June 2nd Fresh breeze from N.E. First part raining latter part fair 12th day Lat 19° 15' S. Lon 90° 58' W.
- June 3rd Strong breeze from E. and fair. Breeze freshened 12th day Lat 19° 26' S. Lon 90° 55' W.
- June 4th Squally and strong breeze from E. & N.E. Fairbacked 12th day Lat 19° 15' S. Lon 91° 11' W.
- June 5th Moderate and squally Wind E.N.E. 12th day Lat 19° 38' W. Lon 91° 14' W.
- June 6th Fair squalls with moderate breeze spoke large bittern bark barkbacked. Breeze out squalls fair 12th day Lat 19° 25' S. Lon 90° 38' W.
- June 7th Fine weather and moderate breeze from S.W. 12th day Lat 19° 06' S. Lon 89° 20' W.
- June 8th Double reef topsails breeze and fair 12th day Lat 19° 18' S. Lon 88° 54' W.
- June 9th Moderate gale from S.E. with squalls through the night 13th day Lat 18° 33' S. Lon 89° 21' W.

The Pacific Ocean on board Barque Courier

- 1855
Mon 3rd All these 24 hrs moderate gale from
P.E. and fair Lat 19. 33 S
130th day Lon 89. 33
- Tues 4th Continues strong wind from
P.E. and 2 hrs Lat 19. 23 S
131th day Lon 89. 24 W
- Wed 5th Strong breezes and squalls Lat 19. 10
132nd day Lon 89. 24
- Thurs 6th Strong breeze and rain squalls
133rd day Lat 18. 57
Lon 89. 05
- Fri 7th Strong breezes and squalls
134th day Lat 19. 52 S
88. 47 L 89. 35 W
- Sat 8th First part strong breeze and squalls
latter part moderate Lat 19. 18 S
135th day Lon 88. 59 W
- Sund 9th Light breeze and few squalls. Saw
Barque Citizen in chase of sperm whales
swept boats and chased until dark
without success Lat 19. 40 S
136th day Lon 89. 20 W
- Mon 10th Pleasant breeze and fair
137th day Lat 19. 33 S
Lon 89. 12 W
- Tues 11th Light variable winds and rain
138th day Lat 19. 38 S



Journal of a whaling voyage in the Tiger Ground

1855
Dec 25

July 8th

Light breezes and cloudy

139th day

Lat 19° 15' S

Long 89° 19' W

Thurs
9th

Pleasant breezes and fine weather

140th day

Lat 19° 55' S

Long 89° 28'

Lat 19° 25' W

Fri
10th

Moderate breeze from Eth and cloudy

141st day

No obs

Sat
11th

First part moderate. Latter part fresh breeze from E.S.E

Lat 19° 55' S

Sun
12th

142nd day

Lat 88° 55' N

First part strong breeze from Eth. Latter part moderate

143rd day

Lat 19° 43' S

Long 89° 16'

Mon
13th

Moderate breezes and fair Exchange signals with the Matthew

144th day

Lat 19° 27' S

Tues
14th

Lat 89° 16'

Light breezes and calms. First part latter part moderate. Spoke Barque Matthew since seen at Bedford Vm out 1000 lbs. spin

145th day

Lat 18° 56' S

Long 88° 56'

Wed
15th

Pleasant breezes from C.S.E

146th day

Lat 19° 29' S

Long 88° 57' W



Pacific Ocean on board barkentine

Anchor Ground

- 8th day Easterly wind and changeable weather
Lat 19. 11 S
Ln 88. 51 W
- 9th day Strong breeze from E. with few squalls
Lat 19. 35 S
Ln 89. 20 W
- 10th day Strong breeze from S.E. and fair
Lat 19. 13 S
Ln 89. 11 W
- 11th day Light breezes from S. S. E. and fine weather
Lat 19. 10 S
Ln 89. 20 W
- 12th day Light air from S. W. and pleasant
Barometer raised
Lat 19. 16 S
Ln 88. 49 W
- 13th day Light variable air to calm
Lat 19. 12 S
Ln 88. 32 W
- 14th day Pleasant breeze from E. S. E. and fair
Lat 19. 32 S
Ln 88. 53 W
- 15th day Fresh breeze from S. E. and fair
Lat 19. 10 S
Ln 89. 09 W
- 16th day Fresh breeze from S. E. and cloudy
Lat 19. 50 S
Ln 89. 29 W
- 17th day Moderate breeze and fine weather
Drovered boats for black-fishes without
success
Lat 18. 50 S
Ln 88. 44 W

Journal of a whaling in the Pacific

Tricker ground

1855
Sat July
27th

Commenced with light breeze from
S. S. E. latter part strong breeze to 18. or
15th day

Mon
28th

Light part strong breeze from S. S. E. and
fair latter part moderate & squally
15th day

Tues
29th

Pleasant breeze varying from S. S. W
to S. S. E. 15th day

Wednes
30th

Light part fresh breeze from S. S. E
latter part moderate
16th day

Thurs
31st

Strong breeze from E. S. E and few yaks
16th day

Fri
Aug 1st

Strong breeze from E. S. E and cloudy
cooled head between decks
16th day

Sat
2nd

Strong breeze from E. S. E and cloudy
16th day

Sun
3rd

Terrible reef gales from E. S. E and
16th day

Mon
4th

Fresh breeze varying from S. S. E to S
and squally
16th day

Dean on board Barque Courier
Towards Coast of Peru

Light airs varying from E S E to S E
and cloudy. Lat 19. 08 S
166th day

Fresh trades and cloudy. Heering by
the wind S E. Lat 18. 00 S
167th day Lon 87. 15 W.

Strong winds and squally. Heering S E.
168th day P Lat 16. 46 W
Lon 86. 13 W.

Double reefes, jib & mainsail furled. Squally
169th day Lat 15. 34 S
Lon 85. 05 W.

Wind continues strong without relf.
170th day Lat 14. 36 S
Lon 84. 21 W.

Strong winds and cloudy. Heering S E.
171st day Lat 13. 36 S
Lon 83. 33 W.

Weather continues the same
172nd day Lat 12. 38 S
Lon 83. 00 W.

Continues to blow fresh and steady
173rd day Lat 11. 16 S
Lon 82. 16 W.

Strong breezes and cloudy
174th day Lat 10. 13 S
Lon 82. 06 W.

Moderates but still fresh breeze. Saw
Humpbacks, black fish &c. Lat 10. 10 S
175th day Lon 82. 13 W.

Journal of a whaling voyage in the Sacy

Coast of Peru

1855.
Peru

- Aug 15th Fresh breeze and cloudy. Saw Blk. fishes
175th day Lat 10. 10 P.
Lon 82. 53 W.
- Sat 16th Moderate breeze and smooth weather.
177th day Lat 9. 20 P.
Lon 82. 02 W.
- Sun 17th Pleasant breeze and cloudy
178th day Lat 10. 11 P.
Lon 82. 52 W.
- Mon 18th Fresh breeze and cloudy. Saw Spots & Blk. fish
179th day Lat 9. 00 P.
Lon 82. 26 W.
- Tues 19th Strong breezes and squally Heavy W. E
180th day Lat 7. 30 P.
Lon 82. 14 W.
- Wed 20th Strong breeze and hazy. Saw Spots. five
backs black fish to a sail Lat 7. 05 P.
Lon 81. 47 W.
- Thurs 21st First part fresh breeze. Latter part moderate
and fair 182nd day Lat 6. 15 P.
Lon
- Fri 22nd Commenced with light breezes. Latter
part fresh. Made Point Apago and
Kept away west 183rd day Lat 5. 00 P.
Lon 81. 15 W.
- Sat 23rd First part moderate. Latter part fresh
breeze. Seeing W. S. W. by S. Lat 5. 22 P.
Lon 84. 17 W.
- Sund 24th Whole sail breeze & cloudy. Seeing W. S. W.
185th day Lat 5. 13 P.
Lon 86. 56

Ocean on board Barque Courier of N.B. Coast of Peru

1855			
Mon	Aug 25 th	Moderate breeze clear & cloudy	186 th day
			Lat 41. 52 S Lon 85. 50
Tues	26 th	Pleasant breeze and fair	187 th day
			Lat 41. 33 S Lon 85. 48 W
Wednes	27 th	Light breeze and fine weather. Sheathing deck	188 th day
			Lat 41. 07 S Lon 86. 25 W
Thurs	28 th	Light breeze and cloudy	189 th day
			Lat 31. 50 S Lon 86. 38 W
Fri	29 th	Pleasant breezes and good weather	190 th day
			Lat 31. 53 S Lon 86. 13 W
Sat	30 th	Fresh breezes & fine 2. hrs	191 st day
			Lat 31. 40 S Lon 86. 31 W
Sund	31 st	Light breeze and fine weather	192 nd day
			Lat 31. 05 S Lon 85. 26 W
Mon	1 st	Cloudy with light breeze	193 rd day
			No obs.
Tues	2 nd	Moderate breeze and cloudy. Made potatoes per	194 th day
			Lat 31. 15 S Lon 85. 00 W
Wednes	3 rd	Fresh breeze and cloudy	195 th day
			Lat 31. 35 S Lon 85. 18 W
Thurs	4 th	Light breezes and cloudy. Lowered boats for black fish & Lp. without success	196 th day
			Lat 31. 08 S Lon 86. 50 W

Journal of whaling voyage in the Off Santa

1856

- Sept 5th First part fresh breeze and hazy. Latter part moderate. Saw great number bphs
197th day Lat 30° 10' S
Long 82° 28' W
- Sat 6th Strong breeze and hazy. Lat 30° 10' S
198th day Lat 82° 28' W
- Sun 7th Strong breeze and hazy. Saw few barks
199th day Lat 30° 10' S
Long 82° 26' W
- Mon 8th * Commenced with strong breeze from SW
latter part light breeze Lat 30° 56' S
200th day Lat 82° 28' W
- Tues 9th Light air varying from S to S by W
201st day Lat 30° 10' S
Long 83° 30' W
- Wedns 10th Pleasant breeze and cloudy
202nd day Lat 30° 19' S
Long 83° 51' W
- Thurs 11th Fresh breeze from S. S. E. and hazy
203rd day Lat 30° 10' S
Long 83° 27' W
- Fri 12th Strong breeze and hazy. Saw few barks
204th day Lat 30° 12' S
Long 82° 37' W
- Sat 13th Fresh breeze and fair. Made Cape Blanco
205th day Lat 30° 50' S
Long 81° 37' W
- Sund 14th Whalerail breezes. Working toward Santa
206th day Lat 30° 21' S
Long 82° 20' W

* Manuel de Cerna Portuguese Mariner
fell overboard in a fit and was drowned

Pacific Ocean on board Barque Courier
Païta and Humbet

1856
Mon
Sept. 15th Moderate breeze with clear and calm weather
20th day Lat 16. 57
Tues
16th Pleasant breeze and fair, anchored at Païta
20th day Off Païta Lat 18

Wednes
17th Landed a case containing my sails & duck for
Barque Tominga Off Païta
Thurs
18th Sailed from Païta for Humbet. Spoke
ship Nautilus. Fair. Day by through the night
19th Off Humbet
Came to anchor at Humbet Roadhead

Humbet

Mon
20th At 5 A.M. took our anchor and stood out
bound to Païta. At sunset
Tues
21st Whole sail breeze and fair Off Point Picos
Wed
22nd Off Cape Blanc
Thurs
23rd Came to anchor at Païta
Païta

Thurs
24th At 1 P.M. took our anchor and stood out
25th 1st day Off Païta
Fri
26th Pleasant breeze. Steering S.W. 1/4 in comp
any with ship President Lat 17 1/2
2nd day Lat 18 1/2
Sat
27th Moderate breeze and fair. Heavy to the
wind 3rd day Lat 18 1/2
Lat 19 1/2 Lat 19 1/2

Journal of a whaling voyage in the Pallas ground

1856

Feb

Oct. 12th Wholesail trades and fair. Working up
1st day — Lat 7° 14' P.
Lon 86° 30' W.

Mon

13th Moderate trades and fair.

5th day

Lat 8° 05' P.

Lon 86° 10' W.

Tues

14th

Bine weather. Saw Blk fish.

Painted Harboard Boat

6th day

Lat 8° 12' P.

Lon 86° 00' W.

Wed

15th

Fresh breezes. Painted Harboard Boat

Saw 2 schools Blk fish

7th day

Lat 8° 40' P.

Lon 85° 17' W.

Thurs

16th

Moderate. Painted Harboard Boat

8th day

Lat 8° 50' P.

Lon 85° 20' W.

Fri

17th

Fresh trades and cloudy. Saw 2 sails

9th day

Lat 9° 14' P.

Lon 85° 06' W.

Sat

18th

Strong winds and cloudy

10th day

Lat 9° 30' P.

Lon 84° 55' W.

Sun

19th

Double reefs and squally. Saw sail

11th day

Lat 10° 14' P.

Lon 86° 09' W.

Mon

20th

Strong winds and squally

12th day

Lat 10° 05' P.

Lon 85° 05' W.

Tues

21st

Strong breezes and fair

13th day

Lat 10° 10' P.

Lon 84° 38' W.

[Signature]

1894

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Salas ground

1856

Sept

Wed 1st

Pleasant breeze. Saw Gillies

24th day

Lat 13 .. 10 P.

Thurs

2^d

Fresh breeze with squalls and some rain

25th day

Lat 13 .. 24 W

Fri

3^d

First part squally. Latter moderate
Mended fib. Spent on 2^d visit

26th day

Lat 13 .. 06 P.

Sat

4th

Moderate breeze and cloudy

27th day

Lat 13 .. 10 P

Sund

5th

Slight breeze and cloudy

28th day

Lat 13 .. 00 P

Mon

6th

Slight air and fine weather

29th day

Lat 12 33 P.

Tues

7th

Slight breeze and cloudy. Saw Hott
Painted bulwarks for tide outside

30th day

Lat 13 .. 36 P

Wed

8th

Whole sail breeze. Saw S. Murchison
Spoke ship President. Allen 13 bro
out to 60 spm

31st day

Lat 13 .. 26 P

Thurs

9th

Cloudy & moderate breeze and W. W. S.

32 day

Lat 13 .. 35 W

Fri

10th

Fresh breeze and cloudy. Saw nothing

33 day

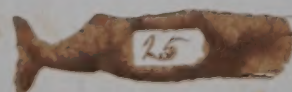
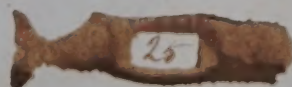
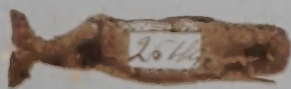
Lat 13 .. 41 P.

Lat 13 .. 18 W.

on Board Sargue Courier of New Bedford

Collas ground

1856			
Nov 11 th	Fresh breeze and cloudy	Lat 14 " 03 P	
	3 1/2 th day	Ln 78 " 26 W	
12 th	Light breezes and cloudy. Bunt many		
	L. G. Hay sail	Lat 14 " 02 P	
Thurs	3 5 th day	Ln 77 " 52 W	
13 th	Light breezes and cloudy. Paid lumber		
	Merchantmen. Mad. land	Lat 14 " 13 P	
Fri	3 6 th day	Ln 77 " 02 W	
14 th	Moderate breeze and cloudy		
	3 7 th day	Lat 15 " 02 P	
Sat		Ln 77 " 43 W	
15 th	Fresh breeze. Saw Black fish		
	3 8 th day	Lat 15 " 13 P	
Sun		Ln 78 " 07 W	
16 th	Moderate breeze. Paid 2 sails		
	3 9 th day	Lat 16 " 59 P	
Mon		Ln 78 " 39 W	
17 th	Moderate breeze. Captured Black fish		
	10 th day	Lat 16 " 00 P	
Tues		Ln 78 " 50 W	
18 th	Pleasant and moderate breeze		
	1 1 st day	Lat 16 " 06 P	
Wednes		Ln 78 " 24 W	
19 th	Moderate breeze. Paritising Starboard side		
	1 2 nd day	Lat 15 " 30 P	
Thurs		Ln 78 " 39 W	
20 th	Light breezes and cloudy		
	1 5 th day	Lat 13 " 33 P	
Fri		Ln 79 " 10 W	
21 st	Light breezes and fair. Captured four		
	Sp. wh. but in one	Lat 13 " 05	
		Ln 79 " 20	



Journal of a whaling voyage in the Dallas ground

1856		
Sat	21 st	Light breeze and cloudy. Cut in three
	45 th day	Lat 12.. 40 P. Lon 79.. 13 W.
Sun	22 nd	Moderate breeze and cloudy. Boiling
	46 th day	Lat 13.. 12 P. Lon 79.. 53 W.
Mon	23 rd	Light breeze. Boiling. Spoke ship
	47 th day	Monterey. Wimpenny 13 mos old 160 lb 150 lb 1/2 P. Lat 13.. 56 P. Lon 79.. 24 W.
Tues	24 th	Light breeze and fair. Finished boiling
	48 th day	Lat 13.. 12 P. Lon 79.. 50 W.
Wednes	25 th	Fine weather and light breeze. Coopered
	49 th day	oil to stow. Lat 12.. 52 P. Lon 79.. 18 W.
Thurs	26 th	Light breeze. Stowed down oil
	50 th day	Lat 12.. 55 P. Lon 79.. 40 W.
Fri	27 th	Moderate breeze and fair. Spoke Monterey
	51 st day	Lat 12.. 55 P. Lon 80.. 16 W.
Sat	28 th	Light breeze and fair. And 2 sails
	52 nd day	Lat 12.. 52 P. Lon 79.. 24 W.
Sun	29 th	Moderate breeze and cloudy
	53 rd day	Lat 12.. 55 P. Lon 79.. 43 W.
Mon	30 th	Wind part moderate. Latter part fresh
	54 th day	breeze. Spoke ship. Other crew N.Y. bound to Callao. Lat 13.. 14 P. Lon 80.. 23 W.

Pacific Ocean on board Sargoe Courier

Galapagos ground

Dec 2 nd	First fresh breeze and cloudy. Latter part moderate	Lat 12 " 48 P.
3 rd	55 th day Fresh trades. passed ship President	Ln 79 " 34 W.
4 th	56 th day Fresh breeze and fair. Saw nothing	Lat 13 " 07 P.
5 th	57 th day Cloudy & fresh breeze. Saw 8th fishes	Ln 79 " 48 W.
6 th	58 th day Strong breezes and fair	Lat 13 " 24 P.
7 th	59 th day Strong winds and fair	Ln 79 " 45 W.
8 th	60 th day Fresh breeze and hazy	Lat 13 " 35 P.
9 th	61 st day Light breeze and fair. Steering W by N	Ln 79 " 30 W.
10 th	62 nd day Light breeze and fine. Steering W by N	Lat 12 " 52 P.
11 th	63 rd day Moderate breezes and cloudy	Ln 78 " 43 W.
12 th	64 th day Light breezes and calm. Towarded look for 8th fish without success	Lat 13 " 41 P.
13 th	65 th day	Ln 78 " 53 W.
14 th	66 th day	Lat 13 " 48 P.
15 th	67 th day	Ln 78 " 32 W.
16 th	68 th day	Lat 13 " 46 P.
17 th	69 th day	Ln 79 " 22 W.
18 th	70 th day	Lat 13 " 19 P.
19 th	71 st day	Ln 79 " 32 W.
20 th	72 nd day	Lat 13 " 07 P.
21 st	73 rd day	Ln 79 " 37 W.
22 nd	74 th day	Lat 13 " 00 P.
23 rd	75 th day	Ln 78 " 25 W.

Annual fur trading voyage in the Calico ground

1855

Sat

Dec 13th Light breeze and fair. Captured 2 bl. fishes. Disrated John Hardell (boat seer) and turned him forward
 5th day Lat 12. 50 P
 Lon 79. 26 W.

Sun

14th Fresh breeze and fair. Saw finbacks
 6th day Lat 13. 00 P
 Lon 80. 30 W.

Mon

15th Moderate breeze and fair. Heavy W. by P
 6th day Lat 13. 23 P
 Lon 81. 30 W.

Tues

16th Light breeze and fair. Spoke ship *Stephens*. Fair harbor. Captured bl. fish
 7th day Lat 12. 52 P
 Lon 82. 14 W.

Wednes

17th Fine weather and moderate
 7th day Lat 12. 50 P
 Lon 82. 50 W.

Thurs

18th Moderate and fair. Captured bl. fish
 11th day Lat 12. 16 P
 Lon 82. 10 W.

Fri

19th Light breeze and fair. Saw great num. of
 12th day Lat 12. 10 P
 Lon 82. 06 W.

Sat

20th Fine weather and moderate. Saw 2 tails
 13th day Lat 12. 00 P
 Lon 83. 23 W.

Sun

21st Mild and moderate
 14th day Lat 12 16 P
 Lon 83 50 W.

Mon

22nd Pleasant and moderate. Exchanged signals with *Bl. Lark* *Brace* *don*
 15th day Lat 12. 23 P
 Lon 83. 12 W.

Pacific Ocean on board Barge Courier

Callao ground

1856-7

- 23rd Moderate breeze and fair. Spoke President
76th day Sat 12 50 P.
Lat 81 56 W.
- 24th Light airs and fair. Captured 3 Hk fish
77th day Sun 81 Sat 12 50 P.
Lat 81 42 W.
- 25th Light airs to calm. in company with P
78th day Mon 82 Sat 12 30 P.
Barge Courier 1 yr old Lat 81 55 W.
- 26th Fine weather and light breeze
79th day Tue 82 Sat 12 08
Lat 81 33
- 27th Moderate breeze and fair. Exchanged
signals with ship Hesper Sat 12 03 P.
80th day Wed 83 Lat 81 55 W.
- 28th Heaving to Wnd with moderate breeze
81st day Thu 80 Sat 11 11 P.
Lat 82 40 W.
- 29th Light breezes and fair. Heaving Westely
82nd day Fri 83 Sat 10 50 P.
Lat 83 27
- 30th Fresh breeze and fair. Tacking up & rigging
83rd day Sat 80 Sat 10 35 W.
Lat 85 12 W.
- 31st Light breezes and calm. Heaving to Wnd
84th day Sun 83 Sat 10 28 P.
Lat 86 17 W.
- 1st Moderate breeze and fair. Heaving N. N. E.
85th day Mon 82 Sat 10 12 P.
Lat 86 58

Journal of a whaling voyage in the Toward Gallapagos Islands

1857.
Sun
Jan 2^d Fresh breeze and cloudy. Heering S.E.
86th day Thru 19° Lat 8° 30' S
Aut L 85° 42' W.
- Mon
3^d Fresh breeze and fair Heering S.E.
87th day Thru 22° Lat 8° 00' S
L 85° 19' W.
- Tue
4th Light breezes and fair. Heering S.W.
88th day Thru 19° Lat 8° 35' S
L 87° 21' W.
- Wed
5th Light breeze and fair. Heering S.W.
89th day Thru 10° Lat 30° 40' S
L 87° 51' W.
- Thurs
6th Moderate and fair. Tarring in main
rigging. Heering S.W. Lat 2° 50' S
L 87° 56' W.
- Thurs
7th Light airs cloudy and little rain
90th day Thru 16° Lat 2° 35' S
L 88° 29' W.
- Fri
8th Rainy with light breezes. Heering S.W.
91st day Thru 15° Lat 2° 00' S
L 89° 11' W.
- Sat
9th Fine weather and light breeze.
Made Hood's Island Lat 1° 33' N
92nd day Thru 19° L 89° 40'
- Sun
10th First part light breeze and calm.
 Latter part moderate and fair. Day fair
93rd day Thru 16° Off Charles Island
- Mon
11th Light breezes and fair. Heering N.W.
94th day
Off South Head of Island
Albermarle

Pacific Ocean on board Sargue Course
1857 Galapagos Islands

1 Jan Light air and fair. Steering to pre
9th day Jan 1857 Off Harbor of

12th Light breezes. Spoke ship's Rindick.
Boat BR's Henry Labor 1000 lbs. to Ohio
100 lbs. 9th day Jan 18 Off North Head

14th Calms and light air.
9th day Jan 18 Off Lee bay

15th Light air and calms. First & middle
part latter part moderate breeze
9th day Jan 19 Off N Head

16th Light breezes and calms. Strong current to
10th day Jan 18 Off North Head

17th Calms & light air. Ship in strong
side rip, setting to S.W. Lat 5° 10' N
10th day Jan 19 L 91° 42' W

18th Light breeze from S.W. & calms lat 32 N
12th day Jan 18 L 91° 45' W

19th Commenced calm and foggy. Latter
part fair
103rd day Jan 18 Off Port of Redondo

20th Light air. Heading in shore to
10th day Jan 18 Off North Head

Journal of a whaling voyage to the Gallapagos Islands

1857
Jan¹¹
21st

Light breezes and fair. Spoke Barque
Active. Vigilant & H. Taber.

105th day

Off Harborough

Wednes
22^d

Moderate breeze. Picked up dead Sk. fish

106th day

Off Weather bay

Thurs
23^d

Moderate breeze and fair

107th day

Off Weather bay

Fri
24th

Light airs and calms. In shore & off

108th day

Off Weather bay

Satur
25th

Gentle breezes and fair

109th day

Off Harborough

Sund
26th

Light airs and calms

110th day

Off Harborough

Mon
27th

Fog. calms. & light breezes. Steering to

111th day

Off Lee bay

Tues
28th

Commenced calm and foggy.

Satter part fair. Borel East

112th day

Off Redonda

Thurs
29th

Moderate breeze and fair. Satter

part rainy

113th day

Off Brindles Is

Fri 30th

Calms and rain

Abington bear. E by N

Dist 8 leagues

Pacific Ocean on board Barque Countess
North of Gallapagos Islands

1st Commenced with light breeze and fair. Latter part calm and rain
115th day Off Abington Is

2nd Calm. Light breeze and rain
116th day Off Abington

3rd Calm. Saw sperm wh. bound to E. & lowered boats in chase without success, Angel Gibbs to leeward

4th 117th day Off Abington

Light airs to calms rain &c. Spoke S. Gibbs
118th day Th 83° Lat 2° 00' N
L 90° 10' W

5th Commenced raining. Finished with breeze
119th day Th 83° Lat 2° 12' N
L 90° 29' W

6th Light breeze and rain squalls
120th day Th 83° Lat 2° 00' N
L 90° 20' W

7th Rain calms & light airs. Steady P.E.
121st day Th 83° Lat 2° 00' N
L 90° 15' W

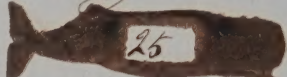
8th Calm, rain and light breeze. Bound S
122nd day Th 83° Lat 1° 17' N
L 89° 57' W

9th Continues calm to raining
123rd day Th 83° Lat 1° 23' N
L 89° 30' W

10th First part calm and rain. Latter part moderate breeze from E. & E.
124th day Th 82° Lat 1° 17' N
L 88° 57' W

Journal of a voyage in the Pacific Between Gal^o islands & Main

1857
Sat
11th

Fresh breeze and fair. Saw schools of
wh^o. Captured one. Spoke ship S.
Richmond 12th day Th^u 82° Lat 1. 26 N.
 Lon 89. 2. W.

Thurs
12th

Moderate breeze and fair. Spoke ships
S. C. Richmond and A. Gibbs. Boiling
12th day Th^u 81° Lat 1. 10 N. W.
Lon 90. 04 W.

Fri
13th

Fresh breeze and fair.
12th day Th^u 82° Lat 1. 46 N.
Lon 89. 51 W.

Sat
14th

Moderate breeze and fair
12th day Th^u 81° Lat 1. 43 N.
Lon 90. 08 W.

Sun
15th

Slight breezes and fair
12th day Th^u 83° Lat 1. 47 N.
Lon 90. 40 W.

Mon
16th

Slight breeze and fair. On opposite tack
12th day Th^u 81° Lat 2. 19 N.
Lon 90. 22 W.

Tues
17th

Calm and slight breezes from S. E. by P
13th day Th^u 82° Lat 2. 52 N.
Lon 90. 02 W.

Wed
18th

Calm and light air from S. by W.
Caulked Harboard. Bow outside
13th day Th^u 82° Lat 2. 42 N.
Lon 90. 02 W.

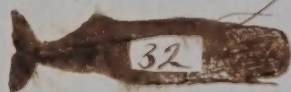
Thurs
19th

Moderate breeze and fair. Steering S. E. by E.
E. S. E. wind P. W. by P. Lat 1. 26 N.
13th day Th^u 83° Lon 88. 58 W.
Slight breezes from W. P. W. and fair
Steering E. S. E.
13th day Th^u 83° Lat 58 N.
Lon 88. 08 W.

Run on Board Sargue Course

Between Gal Islands & Main

857
2nd
22nd Light breezes and fine weather. Saw school
Wh. wh. at 6 A.M. Towed boats without
success. At 1 P.M. Towed again and cap-
tured one. Took him alongside at sunset
Aboard Starboard boat Lat 45° N
134th day Thru 83° Lon 87° 36' W.



Mon
22nd Light breezes from S.W. cut in whale
135th day Thru 82° Lat 50° N
Lon 87° 06' W.

Mon
23rd Light airs from S.W. hot and fair
Repaired Starboard boat Lat 55° N
136th day Thru 86° Lon 87° 06' W.

Tues
1st Calms and light airs from S. S. W.
137th day Thru 85° Lat 38° N
Lon 86° 52' W.

Wed
2nd All these 24 hrs calm. Coopered oil to Hou
138th day Thru 86° Lat 00°

Thurs
2nd First part calm. Latter part moderate
breeze from E. N. E. Towed oil but ... S. South
139th day Thru 84° Lon 86° 28' W.

Fri
2nd 27th Light breezes from S. W. E. & E. Exchanged
signals with an English brig Lat 16° S
140th day Thru 82° Lon 86° 25' W.

Sat
28th Fresh breeze from E. N. E. and fair
Heaving S. by W. Lat 52° N
Lon 87° 15' W.
141st day Thru 81°

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Between Gall islands & Main

1857
Sun
Mar 1st Moderate breeze from E by S & hazy
142nd day Thur 79° Lat 13° N
Sun 87° 32' W

Mon
2nd Light breeze and hazy looking for
143rd day Thur 79° Lat 23° N
Sun 88° 15' W

Tues
3rd Moderate breeze and fair. Saw large
school sperm whs. Struck one & cut
foul line
144th day Thur 80° Lat 17° S
Sun 88° 30' W

Wed
4th Light breeze from E and fair
145th day Thur 80° Lat 36° S
Sun 88° 31' W

Thurs
5th Moderate breeze and fair. Saw school
sperm whs. Struck and drew out from
one. Struck and captured one
146th day Thur 82° Lat 10° South
Sun 88° 36' W

Fri
6th Light breeze and pleasant. Saw large
sperm wh. Sounded boats without success
147th day Thur 83° Lat 9° South
Sun 88° 36' W

Sat
7th End Chatham. I bear S by W
Light air from E & calm. Boiling
148th day Thur 83° Lat 13° N
Sun 89° 35' W

Sun
8th Calm. Calm. Calm. Drifting to W
Lower island bearing W by N 15 miles
149th day Thur 82° Lat 10° N
Sun 89° 50' W

Dean on Board Sargue Courier
Between Gall Islands & Maine

1857 19 th Jan	Light air and calms. Off Tower Island 150 th day Thu 84°	Lat 30° N Lon 89° 48' W
20 th Jan	Calms and light breeze. Heaved oil 151 st day Thu 84°	Lat 55° N Lon 89° 26' W
21 st Jan	Light breeze from S.E. to S.W. fair sea 152 nd day Thu 81°	Lat 1° 09' N Lon 88° 54' W
22 nd Jan	Light breeze from S.E. and fair 153 rd day Thu 82°	Lat 1° 00' N Lon 88° 54' W
23 rd Jan	Light air and calms. Strong lee current 154 th day Thu 82°	Lat 1° 02' N Lon 88° 50' W
24 th Jan	First part Light. Latter part moderate breeze varying from S.E. to S.W. 155 th day Thu 80°	Lat 1° 21' N Lon 87° 38' W
25 th Jan	Moderate breeze and fair. 156 th day Thu 78°	Lat 1° 43' N Lon 86° 15' W
26 th Jan	Light breezes from S.W. Calming ship 157 th day Thu 80°	Lat 4° 42' N Lon 85° 31' W
27 th Jan	Light breezes and fine weather. Calming 158 th day Thu 82°	Lat 1° 30' N Lon 84° 56' W
28 th Jan	Moderate breeze and fine weather Working to windward. Calming 159 th day Thu 81°	Lat 1° 16' N Lon 84° 40' W



Journal of a whaling voyage in the Pacific Between Feb. 15th & March

1857
Thurs
Mar 13th

Moderate breeze and fair. Morning side
158th day Thurs 18th Lat 25° 36' North

Fri
2nd

Moderate and fair. Calking inside
159th day Thurs 17th Lat 25° 36' South

Sat
21st

Fresh breezes and hazy
160th day Thurs 16th Lat 1° 42' S,
Lon 85° 34' W

Sun
22nd

Moderate breeze and fair. Heaving in
161st day Sun 17th Lat 2° 21' S

Mon
23rd

Mended M. S. P. S. 85° 16' W
Light breezes and fair. Heaving in
162nd day Thurs 18th Lat 2° 26' S,
Lon 84° 18' W

Tues
24th

Light breezes and fair. Breaking out of
Spring ship
163rd Thurs 80th Lat 2° 17' S,
Lon 83° 48' W

Wed
25th

Light breeze from S. S. W. and fair
Breaking out pipe shoots for water
164th day Thurs 80th Lat 1° 35' N,
Lon 83° 30' W

Thurs
26th

Light breezes and fair. Setting up short
165th day Thurs 81st Lat 1° 23' N,
Lon 82° 34' W

Fri
27th

Light breezes. Painted. Staterooms
166th day Thurs 80th Lat 1° 09' N,
Lon 82° 20' W

Sat
28th

Light air and calm. Painted painter
167th day Thurs 80th Lat 1° 15' N,
Lon 81° 59' W

Sun
29th

Light breeze from S. and fair. Saw a
big bound south
168th day Thurs 81st Lat 1° 48' N,
Lon 81° 48' W

Dean on board Sague Course of S.B.

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mon

3rd Moderate breeze from S.E. and hazy
washed ship inside Sat 39 N
169th day Thu 79th L 81. 04 W

Wed

31st Light breeze variable and fair. Made
Cape St Francisco Sat 30 N
Thu 80 170th day L 80. 31 W

Thurs

1st Moderate breeze and fair. At 3 1/2 P.M. came
to anchor outside the mouth Embaraldas rio
Thu 81 171st day Embaraldas
2nd Took our anchor and let it go on a bank in
the mouth of Embaraldas river.

Embaraldas

Thurs

9th Getting wood water and recruits.
Lost five men viz John Atkins, John
Libra, Frank Parago, Chas Thomas, and
John Francisco by desertion
Thu 82 80th day

Fri

10th Pleasant breeze and fair. Beating up
2nd day Off St Helena

Sat

11th Moderate breeze and fair. Beating up
Thu 83 81st day Sat 56 N
L 80. 33 W

Sun

12th Moderate and fair. Passed up Delphin.
1st day Cape Pasade being
I did not leave

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Bound to Paita

1857
April 14th

Mon Light breeze and cloudy. Parity in
1st day Lat 30° S

Tues
15th

First moderate breeze from S. P. E. and
raining. Latter part breeze from S W and fair
1st day Lat 35° S

Wednes
16th

First and middle part moderate
breeze from S. Latter part hauled & W. S
1st day Lat 41° 21' W.

Thurs
17th

First part light breeze from S. Latter
part moderate from W. S. W. Lat 1° 33' S

Fri
18th

Light breeze varying from S W & S
Made Point St. Helena. E. S. E. dist 23'
1st day Lat 2° 22' S

Sat
19th

Light breeze from E by S and some rain
1st day Lat 2° 32' S

Sund
20th

First part moderate. Latter fresh breeze from S. W
1st day Lat 3° 28' S

Mon
21st

Light breeze and cloudy. Captured 14 fish
1st day Lat 4° 55' S

Tues
22nd

First part moderate. Latter fresh breeze from S. W
1st day Lat 4° 55' S

Wednes
23rd

Moderate breeze. Came to anchor
at Paita at 10 2 o'clock A.M.

Paita

Ocean on Board Sargen Courier of Feb
 From Paita towards Gall Islands

1867

At Paita lost 12 men by desertion, and
 discharged 3. Third mate boarded and
 shipped others in their places and
 sailed on a cruise Fri May 10th 757

May 2 Breeze fresh and hazy spoke Ship B Wilgen
 1st day of 3rd cruise Sat 5.. 10 P
 Lat 82.. 36 N

Mon 3rd Moderate and fair. Heaving W. N. W.
 2nd day Sun 7b Sat 3.. 37 P
 Lat 84.. 13 N

Tues 4th Light breezes and fair. Heaving W. N. W. N. W.
 3rd day Sat 2 52 P.
 Lat 85.. 29 N

Wed 5th Light breezes and cloudy. Heaving N. W. N. W.
 4th day Sat 1 48 P
 Lat 85.. 53

Thurs 6th Light breezes. Painted 4th boat Hazy N
 5th day Sat 18 P
 Lat 85.. 58 W

Fri 7th Light and fair. Painted spare boat
 6th day Sun 7b Sat 3.. 3 P
 Lat 87.. 03 N

Sat 8th Moderate and cloudy. Painted ward boat
 7th day Sat 25 P
 Lat 87.. 30 W

Sun 9th Light breezes from S. and fair
 8th day Sat 18 P
 Lat 88.. 00 W

Mon 10th Moderate and fair. Heaving N
 9th day Sat 12 P
 Lat 88.. 55 W

Journal of a whaling voyage to the Pacific North of Gallapagos Islands

1857
Mon

May 1st. Light breeze and fair. Made Inner Is
and Abington Lat 12 N

Tues
12th.

10th day Jan 79 Lat 9. or N.
Clear part light latter part moderate breeze
Heaving N.W. by W Lat 55 N

Wednes
13th.

11th day Jan 79 Lat 11. 10 W.
Light breeze. Made Menmans Is Cul
peper island & saw a ship

Thurs
14th.

12th day Jan 79 Off Culpeper Is
Light breeze and fair. On opposite tracks

Fri
15th.

13th day Jan 80 Lat 1. 55 N.
Fresh breeze and fair. Saw 2 bargues Lat 12. 10 W.

Sat
16th.

14th day Jan 80 Lat 2. 56 N.
Fresh breezes and cloudy Lat 11. 13 W.

Sun
17th.

15th day Jan 80 Lat 2. 28 N.
Moderate breezes and fair. Saw porpoises Lat 12. 10 W.

Mon
18th.

16th day Jan 80 Lat 2. 35 N.
Light breezes and fair. Made Culpeper Lat 12. 19 W.

Tues
19th.

17th day Jan 79 Lat 2. 11 N.
Moderate. Fair and cloudy. Heaving N Lat 11. 49 W.

Wednes
20th.

18th day Jan 82 Lat 2. 45 N.
Fresh breezes and fair. Heaving N.E Lat 11. 30 W.

Thurs
21st.

19th day Jan 82 Lat 2. 15 N.
11 A.M. hauled by the wind N.E. 1 P.M.
saw and lowered boats for 4pm when
saw porpoises but nothing more of wh
Lat 19. 19

Ann on board Sargre Courier J.B.
Cocos island to Malpello

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Thurs
May 2nd Fresh breezes and fair
2nd day Thurs 180° Lat 2. 53 N
Long 90. 35 W
22nd Fresh breezes and fair, on opposite tack
2nd day Thurs 82° Lat 2. 42 N
Long 90. 16 W
23rd Continues the same. Finished mud galla
22nd day Thurs 82° Lat 3. 00 N
Long 89. 04 W
24th Strong breezes from S. Clear and cloudy
23rd day Thurs 83° Lat 3. 36 N
Long 88. 50 W
25th Strong breezes and cloudy. Heavy rain
24th day Thurs 80° Lat 3. 31 N
Long 87. 12 W
26th Moderates. Whole sail breeze. Heavy rain
25th day Thurs 80° Lat 3. 32 N
Long 85. 39 W
27th Light breezes from S. S. W and fair Heavy rain
26th day Thurs 82° Lat 3. 35 N
Long 84. 15 W
28th Fresh breeze and cloudy. On opposite tack
27th day Thurs 80° Lat 3. 07 N
Long 83. 47 W
29th Fresh breeze. Fair and cloudy
28th day Thurs 82° Lat 3. 16 N
Long 82. 56 W
30th Moderate breezes and raining
29th day Thurs Lat 3. 11 N
Long 81. 00 W
31st Light air and cloudy. Made Island
Malpello bearing E. N. E dist 25 miles
30th day Thurs Lat 4. 11 N
Long 82. 12 W

Journal of a whaling voyage in the North of Equator

1857

Mon

June 1st Light air calm to rain. Moved stove into mid galley. Malpello dist E 12 miles
31st day Thu 82 Lat 3. 57 N
Lon 81. 39 W

Tues

2nd

Light breeze first part to cloudy. Latter part moderate and fair. Still unfortunate
32nd day Fri 83 G. Malpello bearing
S. S. W. dist 12 leagues

Wednes

3rd

Crush breeze and cloudy. Working for

Thurs

4th

33rd day
Wholesail breeze and fair. Stribacks
34th day Lat 2. 58 N
Lon 82. 29 W

Fri

5th

Light breezes and fair. Saw carcass
35th day Thu 80 Lat 2. 40 N
Lon 82. 05 W

Sat

6th

Wholesail breeze and fair. Saw and
boarded boat for school sperm who weather
success 36th day Lat 2. 33 N
Lon 82. 15 W

Sun

7th

Moderate breezes and fair. School sperm
was in sight all day to windward
Worked ship up in chase but did
not get near enough to lower boat
37th day Lat 2. 18 N
Lon 82. 48 W

Mon

8th

Light breezes and fair. Saw Stribacks
38th day Thu 80 Lat 2. 40 N
Lon 82. 13 W

Tues

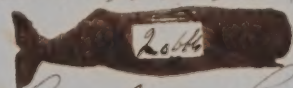
9th

Crush breeze and squally.
39th day No obs

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North of Equator

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me
10th Strong breeze and cloudy. Saw nothing
10th day Lat 2. 29. N
L 83. 11 W
- Wed
11th Strong breeze. Saw sail to windward
11th day Lat 1. 44. N
L 83. 38 W
- Thurs
12th Third part strong breeze. Satter moderate
12 day Lat 1. 50. N
L 83. 47 W
- Fri
13th Moderate breeze and fine weather
13 day Lat 1. 04. N
L 82. 39 W
- Sat
14th Wholesail breeze and fine weather
14th day Lat 43. N
L 83. 32 W
- Sun
15th Fresh breeze and fair. Saw school sperm
whs lowered the boats without success
took boats in tow and chased with
ship. came up with whs and captured
one and cut him in
15th day Lat 50. N
L 84. 00 W
- Mon
16th Moderate breeze. Commenced boiling
16th day Lat 53. N
L 84. 33 W
- Tues
17th Moderate breeze and cloudy. Repairing
17th day Lat 50. N
L 84. 33 W
- Wed
18th Wholesail breeze and fair. Saw a sail
18th day Lat 19. N
L 83. 54 W
- Thurs
19th Light breeze and fair. Working to leeward
19th day Lat 28. N
L 84. 14 W



Journal of a whaling voyage to North of Sum

1857
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Mon 2nd Fresh breezes and cloudy Sat 32 N
49th day L 83.. 56 W.

Tues 21st Fresh breezes and cloudy. Saw sail Sat 55 N
50th day L 84.. 13 W.

Mon 22nd Fresh breezes and squally Sat 46 N
51st day L 83.. 50 W.

Tues 23rd Strong breezes and cloudy Sat 24 N
52nd day Then 75 L 84.. 11 W.

Wed 24th First part strong. Little part most breeze Sat No day
53rd day 1st Th. 75 No day

Thurs 25th Changeable weather. fresh breezes & moderate Sat 53 N
54th day L 84.. 06 W.

Fri 26th Moderate. squally with light rain Sat 35 N
55th day L 82.. 57 W.

Sat 27th Light breezes and fair. Saw Embark Sat 45 N
56th day L 82.. 57 W.

Sun 28th Strong breezes and squally. Spoke Ship President Sat 1.. 18 N
57th day L 82 30 W.

Mon 29th Fresh breezes and cloudy. Spoke ship for Lopez 20 bow 350 spr Sat 1.. 12
L 83.. 14

The Pacific Ocean on Board B'Conner Galapagos Islands

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Wed
June 30th Fresh breeze, spoke ship President
and Lague Lopphe. Did Andrew Dunn
on board the former to be landed
at Embarcadas on account of drunk-
eness and refusing duty
- 58th day
July 1st Moderate breeze and fair. Saw 12 sail
5th day Lat 55° N
L 82° 55' W
- Thurs
2nd Moderate breeze and cloudy. Steering 11th W
51st day Lat 1° 28' N
L 84° 12' W
- Fri
3rd Strong breezes & squally. Steering 11th W
52nd day Lat 9° 38' N
L 85° 16' W
- Sat
4th Strong breezes and fresh squalls. Steering 11th W
53rd day Lat 55° N
L 88° 22' W
- Sun
5th Fresh breeze and fair. (Morn^g made
Lower Island. Passed between Bird Is.
and Abington Island steering for
Albemarle 54th day Lat 25° N
L 90° 35'
- Mon
6th Changeable. Ten sails in sight
55th day Off North Head
- Tues
7th Light breezes and fair. Spoke Berg Cumys
56th day Off N Head
- Wed
8th Light air & fair. Off Harborough
57th day
- Thurs
9th Moderate breeze and fair. Broke out and
Coopered 120 lbs oil. Spoke ship Berg Cumys
58th day Off N Head

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Bound to Anchor Ground

1857			
July			
10 th	Moderate breeze & fair	Bound South	
	19 th day	Lat. 24° S	
Lat		L 93. 56 W	
11 th	Pleasant breeze from S.E. and fair		
	20 th day	Thur 15°	Lat 1. 22 S
Mon			L 95. 43 W
12 th	Fresh breeze and cloudy. Steering S.W.		
	21 st day	Thur 15°	Lat 2. 48 S
Mon			L 97. 43
13 th	Strong breezes and squally. Steering S.W.		
	22 nd day	Thur 16°	Lat 4. 08 S
Tues			L 99. 31
14 th	Fresh trades. Heading S.E.		
Wed			Lat 6. 23 S
15 th	7 th day		L 101. 09 W
	Strong breezes & squally. Heading S.E.		
	23 rd day	Thur 16°	Lat 8. 36 S
Thurs			L 102. 10 W
16 th	Strong trades. Mended Main & G. sail		
	24 th day	Thur 15°	Lat 10. 40 S
Fri			L 103. 34 W
17 th	Strong trades and squally. Steer S.W.		
	25 th day	Thur 16°	Lat 12. 22 S
Sat			L 104. 44 W
18 th	Strong trades & squalls. Steer S.W.		
	26 th day	Thur 16°	Lat 14. 36 S
Sun			L 105. 33 W
19 th	Strong breezes & squally. Heading South		
	27 th day	Thur 12°	Lat 16. 40 S
Mon			L 106. 12 W
20 th	First part strong breeze latter moderate		
	28 th day	Thur 10°	Lat 18. 45 W
			L 107. 02 W

Ocean on Board Sargue Courier Bound to Archer ground

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22 nd	Wed	22 nd	Light breezes and pleasant.	81 st day	Thur 7	Lat 22. 58 S	Lon 107. 19 W.
23 rd	Wed	23 rd	Wind varying from E. S. E. to E. N. E.	82 nd day	Thur 7	Lat 23. 50 S	No obs.
24 th	Wed	24 th	Light airs and calms. Heading S. by S. E.	83 rd day	Thur 7	Lat 24. 17 S	Lon 106. 50 W.
25 th	Wed	25 th	Calms and light airs variable	84 th day	Thur 8	Lat 24. 03 S	Lon 106. 26
26 th	Wed	26 th	Wind part calm. Latter part light breeze E. S. E.	85 th day	Thur 8	Lat 24. 20 S	Lon 106. 00 W.
27 th	Wed	27 th	Light airs from E. and calms	86 th day	Thur 8	Lat 24. 31 S	Lon 105. 08 W.
28 th	Wed	28 th	Wind part calm. Latter part light breeze from N. W. by W.	87 th day	Thur 8	Lat 24. 16 S	Lon 102. 18 W.
29 th	Wed	29 th	First part light breeze from W. by S. A. M. Hauled in fish squall to S with rain	88 th day	Thur 8	Lat 24. 16 S	Lon 99. 21 W.
30 th	Wed	30 th	Latter part strong breeze from S by E & squall	89 th day	Thur 8	Lat 24. 16 S	Lon 96. 47 W.
	Thur	30 th	Strong breeze and squally heavy E by N	89 th day	Thur 8	Lat 24. 16 S	Lon 96. 47 W.

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1857

July

Wed 3rd

All these 24 hrs fresh breeze from S by W &
fair. Heering E. S. E. Lat 23. 66 P.

Aug.

1st

9th day. Thur 12th Lat 23. 55 W.

1st

All these 24 hrs light breeze from S. P. W.
and fair. Heering S. E. E. Lat 23. 03 P.

Aug

2nd

9th day. Thur 13th Lat 21. 00 P.
Light breezes from S. P. W. and fine weather.

Mon

3rd

Heering S. S. E. 9th day. Thur 14th Lat 21. 58 P.
Light airs and fair. Heering S. S. E.

Thurs

4th

9th day. Thur 15th Lat 21. 00 P.
Light air from E. & fair. Sailed 2 large

whales. Covered three boats. Starboard
boat struck & captured wh. Bow boat
struck and drove back wh. to the ship
and prepared to cut.

Wednes

5th

9th day. Thur 16th Lat 20. 09 P.
First part light. variable winds and rain.

Thurs

6th

Latter part breeze from E. S. E. with light
squalls. Cut in whole. 1st wh.

Thurs

7th

9th day. Thur 18th Lat 20. 38 P.
First and middle part. Light breeze
from S. E. Latter part fresh & squally.

Thurs

8th

Boiling 9th day. Lat 20. 00 P.
Moderate gale from E. S. E. and fair.

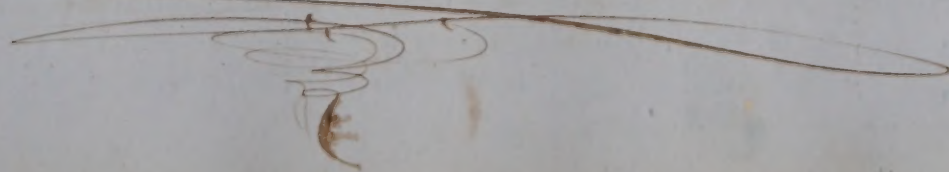
Thurs

9th

Boiling 9th day. Lat 20. 41 P.
Thurs 10th

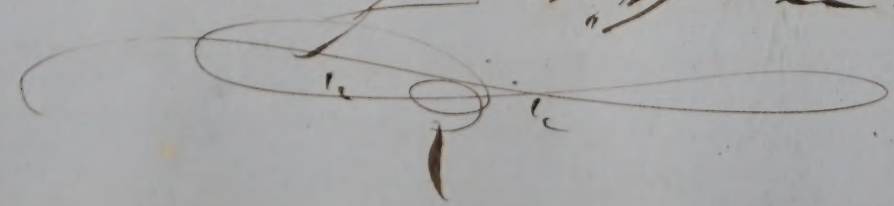
Pacific Ocean on board barkentine Courier
Anchor ground

- Aug 8th Moderate gale from S.E. and fair
97th day Th^{rs} 66 Lat 19 57 S
L 90 49 W
- Aug 9th Continues to blow from E.S.E. with
fresh squalls 98th day Th^{rs} 68 Lat 20 10 S
L 91 16 W
- Aug 10th Gale continues from Est with squalls
99th day Th^{rs} 68 Lat 20 18 S
L 91 26 W
- Aug 11th Still blowing from Est and squally
100th day Lat 20 26 S
L 91 36 W
- Aug 12th Wind to mid part gale continues, Lat
part moderates. Hooped oil to blow
101st day Th^{rs} 65 Lat 20 40 S
L 91 25 W
- Aug 13th Moderate breeze from Est and little
rain. Hooping oil. Saw Lk to seaward
102nd day Lat 20 16 S
L 91 17 W
- Aug 14th Light breeze. Clear & cloudy. Finished Hoop
103rd day Th^{rs} 65 Lat 19 33 S
L 90 45 W
- Aug 15th Moderate with frequent squalls
Saw bark to wind^{ard} Lat 20 20 S
L 91 16 W
- Aug 16th Light breezes from N.E. and squally
Saw sperm wh^{ales} Starboard & waist boats
struck wh^{ales} and rows down Lat 20 20 S
L 91 22 W



Journal of whaling voyage to the "Fisher Ground"

18th Sun
 Aug 17th Light airs from Wnd and fair. Mended
 Spanker & Bow Bow boat
 10th day Sat 20 " 11 P
 L 91 " 22 W
 18th Mon
 Light airs from N.E. & calms
 10th day Thur 19th Sat 20 11 P
 L 91 " 17 W
 19th Tues
 Calms & light airs from End
 10th day Sat 20 2 P
 L 91 " 18 W
 20th Wed
 Moderate breeze from End and light squalls
 10th day Thur 20 Sat 20 15 P
 L 91 " 00 W
 21st Thurs
 Strong breeze varying from E.N.E. to E.
 Saw ship to windward Sat 20 14 P
 10th day Thur 20 L 90 " 58
 22nd Fri
 Light breeze from N.E. to E.S.E.
 11th day Thur 20 Sat 20 " 23 P
 L 90 " 52 W
 23rd Sun
 Light breezes varying from N.E. to E.S.E.
 with some squalls Sat 19 " 52 P
 11th day Thur 20 L 90 " 48 W
 24th Mon
 Light airs and calms. Saw nothing
 11th day Thur 20 Sat 19 40 P
 L 90 " 55 W
 25th Tues
 Strong breeze from S by E to E.S.E. Repaired
 11th day Thur 20 Sat 19 08 P
 L 89 " 15 W
 26th Wed
 Light breezes varying from E.N.E. to E.S.E.
 with light squalls Sat 19 40 P
 11th day Thur 20 L 89 25



Pacific Ocean on board Barque Courier

Anchor ground

257 Thurs Aug 27	Moderate breeze and fine weather 116th day Th 60	Lat 20.. 21. S L 90.. 28 W
287 Fri 28th	Moderate breeze and fine weather 117th day Thur 68	Lat 20 24 S L 90 05 W
29th Sat	Slight breezes varying from S E to E. S. E. & fair 118th day	Lat 20.. 20 S L 90.. 00
30th Sun	Slight airs from E S E & calm 119th day Th 70	Lat 19.. 57 S L 89.. 39 W
31st Mon	Strong breeze from E S E and fair. Spoke ship Vigier. 1 yr out 300 Am 120th day	Lat 19 10 S L 89 01 W
1st Tue	Moderate gale from E. S. E. 2 sails to windward 121st day Th 60	Lat 19 16 S L 89 08 W
2nd Wed	Moderate gale from S. E. all the day & squally 122nd day Thur 65	Lat 19.. 18 S L 89.. 06
3rd Thurs	Continues to blow from E S E with squalls 123rd day Th 64	Lat 19 32 S L 89.. 28 W
4th Fri	First and mid part Moderate gale & squally latter part moderates 124th day Th 65	Lat 19.. 12 S L 89.. 25 W
5th Sat	Moderate gale & squally. Tied 2 sails 125th day Th 66	Lat 19.. 30 S L 89.. 42 W
6th Sun	Wind & weather continues the same 126th day	Lat 19.. 34 S L 89.. 38 W

Journal of a whaling voyage in the Larcher ground

- 1857
Mon
Sept 7th Moderate gale & cloudy
112th day Lat 19. 00 S
Long 89. 40 W
- Tues
8th Weather continues the same
129th day Lat 19. 09 S
Long 89. 40 W
- Wed
9th Strong winds and squalls
130th day Lat 19. 18 S
Long 89. 44 W
- Thurs
10th More moderate. Saw 2 sperm wh. killed
by black-fishes. Chased in company
with Lt. Matthew Luce from noon
until sunset without success
131st day Lat 19. 22 S
Long 89. 36 W
- Fri
11th Moderate gale & squally
132nd day Lat 19. 04 S
Long 89. 47 W
- Sat
12th Weather much the same. Some hills
133rd day Lat 18. 58 S
Long 89. 38 W
- Sun
13th Continues to blow with squalls
134th day Lat 18. 50 S
Long 89. 19 W
- Mon
14th Light breezes varying from S.E. to N.E.
135th day Lat 19. 08 W
Long 89. 31 W
- Tues
15th Light breezes with squalls of drizzling rain.
Saw a large sperm wh. at 2 P.M. Chased
until night without success. Pobs
136th day Lat 19. 00
Long 90. 00

Pacific Ocean on board Barque Courier
Anchored ground

15th Light breeze from E by S & cloudy
137th day Lat 18 55
L 9. 30

17th Light air varying from S E to E
138th day Lat 18 55 S
L 89. 58

18th Light air from E & S calm
139th day Lat 19 10 S
L 89. 58

19th All these 24 hrs calm. Ship Niger in sight
140th day Lat 19. 13 S
L 89. 58

20th Light air from S & S and calm, 2 sails in sight
141th day Lat 19. 08
L 89. 12

21st Light breeze from E, S, E and fair. Broke
out and coopered oil in Starboard side
main hatchway
142nd day Lat 19. 20 S
L 89. 29 W

22nd Moderate breeze from E, S, E and fair
Finished coopering oil
143rd day Lat 19. 40 S
L 89. 45 W

23rd Moderate breeze varying from E, S, E to E, S, E
Draining
144th day No obs

24th Fresh breeze from S & S and cloudy 2 sails
145th day Lat 18. 45
L 89. 10

25th Fresh breeze and cloudy. Painted bottom
146th day No obs

26th Fresh breeze & fair. Saw one fair
147th day Lat 19. 40 S
L 90. 00 W

Journal of a whaling voyage in the Archer ground

1857

Sun

Sept 27th

Fresh breeze from E. & S. W. Spun whs
going quick to windward. Did not
shoot boats. Saw 100th man & whale
148th day Lat 19. 06 P

Mon

28th

Fresh breezes with clouds. Saw a large
cutter. Saw Whaler down with scurvy
149th day Sun 6. 5 Lat 18. 53 P

Tues

29th

Moderate breeze and cloudy. Spoke
large cutter boiling 19. 12 P

Wed

30th

Strong breeze from E. S. E & fair
151st day Lat 19 21 P

Thur

Oct 1st

Strong breeze from E & rainy. Saw
1. 11 P 152nd day Sun 6. 7 Lat 19 25 P

Fri

2nd

Moderate gale and cloudy
153rd day Lat 19. 16 P

Sat

3rd

P. E. gale & cloudy. Moderates 10th part
154th day Lat 18 13 P

Sun

4th

Strong breeze from E. S. E. and squally. Perished
two men for mutinous conduct. Saw
2 bargues. Steering for Paita Lat 18. 10 P

Mon

5th

Strong breeze varying from E to E. S. E & squally
155th day Lat 16. 45 S

Tues

6th

Strong breeze from E. S. E & cloudy
157th day Sun 6. 4 Lat 14. 53 P

Pacific Ocean on Board Sargue Courier Bound to Paita

857
not
17th Fresh breeze from E.S.E. & cloudy Steering N.E. by N
158th day Thu 63. Lat 43. 10 S
L 85. 25 W.

Thurs
8th Whole sail breeze & cloudy Steering N.E. by N
159th day Thu 64 Lat 44. 00
L 83. 40.

Fri
9th Moderate breeze and cloudy Steering N.E. by N
wind E.S.E. 160th Thu 65 Lat 48. 53 S
L 82. 01 W.

Sat
10th Moderate breeze from E.S.E. and cloudy
Steering N.E. 161st day Sat 7 12 P
L 81. 31 W.

Sun
11th Moderate breeze and hazy first part. Latter
part fair. A.L.P.M., Paita Head bearing N. dist 15 miles
162nd day Sat 5. 12 P
L 81. 15 W.

Mon
12th Moderate breeze and hazy. Lay off & on
through the night, and wind on shore
at Paita at 11 A.M. Left men G and the
man in iron Manuel Silva

Tues
13th 163rd day Paita
Left Paita for Tumbez with fresh trade.
Came to anchor outside of shipping at
7 P.M. 164th day

Tumbez

Discharged Juan Placeron (Neward)
W. Ray to Barney Lane, Jos Keenan, Chas
Cornwall, Jos King, Thos. Polan, Wm. Dert
Wm. Haskell deserted. Shipped four
29th Sailed for Paita

Journal of a whaling voyage in the Pinta & Coma South

1857
Dec

Oct. 30th Wholesail breeze cool & hazy beating
towards Pinta Cape Blanco Key
Sat 1st day Jan 66 P E dist 15 min
3rd part fresh breeze latter part
Moderate Off Point Parina
Sun 2nd day Jan 66 Moderate breeze. Touched at Pinta

Pinta
Discharged Romero Sick
Shipped B. Mate. Steward and
2 fireman & hands

Mon 3rd day Jan 66 Aboard to sea at 3 1/2 PM with
a crew of 25 all told

Tues 4th day Jan 66 Moderate breeze from S E and cloudy
Heaving by the wind No ch.

Wed 5th day Jan 66 Light breezes varying from S P E & P
Heaving by the wind Sat 6.. 35 P

Thurs 6th day Jan 66 Light breezes varying from E S E & S. P. C
Painted & boat Sat 7.. 35 P

Fri 7th day Jan 66 Light unsteady winds varying
on opposite tacks Sat 8.. 35 P

Sat 8th day Jan 66 1st part light airs. latter part wholesail
breeze on opposite tacks Sat 8.. 45 P

Sun 9th day Jan 66 Moderate breeze and fair
Sat 9.. 21 P

Mon 10th day Jan 66 Moderate breeze and fair
Sat 9.. 33 M

Pacific Ocean on board Targue "Comesol"
Salsas ground

Wed 6 th	Whole sail breeze varying from E.S.E. to S.E.	7 th day	Feb 2
Thurs 12 th	Brisk breeze & cloudy. Mending main sail	8 th day	Feb 11. 25 L 86. 40 W.
Fri 13 th	Moderate breeze and cloudy finished mending	9 th day	Feb 12. 03 P L 86. 12 W.
Sat 14 th	Light breeze from E.S.E. & cloudy	10 th day	Feb 12 00 P L 86. 00 W.
Sun 15 th	Light breeze from E by S and cloudy, wind E	11 th day	Feb 13. 30 P L 85. 53 W.
Mon 16 th	Moderate breeze from S.E. & cloudy. Steady breeze	12 th day	Feb 12. 29 P L 84. 11 W.
Tues 17 th	Wholesail breeze and cloudy. Steady E.N.E. by wind	13 th day	Feb 12. 00 P L 81. 55 W.
Wed 18 th	Light breezes from S.E. and cloudy	14 th day	Feb 11. 42 P L 80. 36 W.
Thurs 19 th	Moderate breezes from S.E. by S & fair. Wind E.	15 th day	Feb 11. 35 P L 79. 40 W.
Fri 20 th	Wholesail breeze and fair. At daylight made S. by S. stood off to in. L.P.M.	16 th day	Feb 12. 01 P L 78. 11
Sat 21 st	Light air from S.E. & cloudy. Made S. by S. Homrigos	17 th day	

Journal of a whaling voyage in the Dallas

1857
Sun 29th

Moderate breeze and fair. Daylight at
St Lorenzo bearing E. P.M. Off Collao
board had boarded boats. Truck, Piller
and sunk a b.p.h. bow to starboard boat
out all night. Came aboard at P.A.M.

Mon
23rd
Tues
24th

18th day of St Lorenzo
Light air and hazy
19th day Off St Lorenzo

Light breeze and hazy. Hood into
Collao roads. 2 P.M. Went on shore with
my wife to await the arrival of the
Steamer in which she was to take passage
home on account of ill health

Truly a sad, sad, day!
Steamer "Lima" Capt Broomfield
left on the 27th bound to the north
with my much-loved wife a passenger
At 8 P.M. my boat arrived from ship
offing. Reached ship at 10 o'clock
Went to south with a heavy heart

Sat
20th

Light breeze varying from S.P.E. to E.P.E.
21st day W 1/2 S

Mon
29th

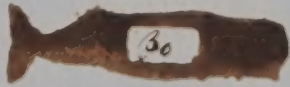
Calms & light air from S.E. 2 sails in sight
25th day W 1/2 N

Mon
30th

Light air from S.E. & calm. On Dr. Vack
26th day
Lat 12 32 S
Lon 78 02 W
Lat 12 56
Lon 78 36
Lat 13 20 S
Lon 79 22 W.

Pearl on Board. Sargue Cruiser

Callao Journal

- 1857
Dec
1st ^W First part calm. Latter part light breeze from S.P.E. and fair. Lat 13. 40 S
27th day Th 72° L 19. 00
- 2nd ^W Light breeze from S. & fair. Saw great number ^{Blk} fish captured two
28th day Th 72° Lat 13. 54 S
L 18. 22 W
- 3rd ^W Light air from S. and fair. Painted Shore boat
29th day Th 72° Lat 13. 41 S
L 18. 23 W
- 4th ^W Light breeze. Saw 3 sails & Black fish
30th day Lat 13. 40 S
L 18. 04 W
- 5th ^W Light breeze from S.E. & fair. Ship in company
31st day Th 72° Lat 14. 35 S
L 18. 47 W
- 6th ^W Light breeze from S.P.E. and fair. Saw ship bound for
32nd day Th 72° Lat 14. 24 S
L 17. 22 W
- 7th ^W Moderate breeze and fine weather. Saw Blackfishes
33rd day Th 70° Lat 15. 15 S
L 17. 55 W
- 8th ^W Sunset saw & covered for ^{the} ship. Dark
34th day Lat 15. 20 S
L 18. 00 W
- 9th ^W Light breeze. 2 P.M. Sounded boats for ^{the} ship who found
bound to windward. Starboard boat captured one
cod fish alongside at sunset. School went to wind
35th day  Lat 15. 15 S
L 18. 01 W
- 10th ^W Calm. Latter part light air from S. & in the
dark in sight 36th day Th 70° Lat 15. 15 S
L 17. 52 W
- 11th ^W Light air & calm. Finished boiling
36th day Th 70° Lat 15. 15 S
L 17. 52 W

Journal of a whaling voyage in the Pacific

Callao ground

1857

Dec 10th

Friday Light trades and fair. Saw few Hk fish
37th day $\text{Th } 18^{\circ}$ Lat 15.. 32 P

Sat

L 18.. 14 W.

11th

Moderate breezes. Saw Gribacks

38th day

Lat 15 52 P

Sun

12/13th

Fresh breezes. At daylight whs close
aboard. Starboard Boat captured one
cut him in 39th day

Lat 15 21 P

Mon

14th

Moderate breeze and fair. Commenced
boiling. Saw topsail schooner

Lat 15 21 P

Tues

15th

40th day $\text{Th } 12^{\circ}$
Light breezes and cloudy. Finished boiling

L 77 17

41st day

Lat 15 25

Wed

16th

Fresh breezes. Shook 5th Morning Star 5 pm
out 250 lbs $\text{Th } 12^{\circ}$ day

L 77 42

Lat 15 10 P

Thurs

17th

Fresh breezes. Coopering oil to How. Forward for Kila
43rd day

L 77 00 W.

Lat 15 35 P

Fri

18th

Wind part moderate breeze. Latter part calm
44th day $\text{Th } 13^{\circ}$

L 77 16

Lat 15 51 P

Sat

19th

Fresh breeze & fair. Hove down 51 bbls oil
45th day

L 77 48 W.

Lat 15 45 P

Sun

20th

Strong breeze & fair. Saw nothing
46th day $\text{Th } 12^{\circ}$

L 78.. 00 W.

Lat 15 47 P

Mon

21st

Strong breeze and fair. Saw ship

L 77 20

Lat 15 32 P

L 76.. 35 W.

Plan on Board Sargue Course of J. P. Bedford
Tahiti ground

1857
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Apr
 13th

May
 1st

Fri

5th

Sat

1st

Mon

7th

Tue

8th

Wed

9th

Thurs

10th

Fri

11th

Commenced with strong breeze. Latter part light
 made land near Port St. Louis Lat 15 10 S

1st day Thu 12

Lat 15 37 W

Strong breeze & rough. passed a ship to Sargue
 in company (former under short sail) bound
 North. Both American

1st day

Lat 15 55 S

Strong breezes. Latter part during S.W. by W.
 5th day

Lat 15 15 S

Lat 17 12 W

Fresh breeze, clear & cloudy. Steady N.E.

5th day Thu 12

Lat 15 42 S

Saw 2 wh. at sunset

Lat 17 09 W

Commenced moderate. Latter part fresh breeze

5th day

Lat 15 15 S

Lat 17 51 W

Fresh breezes. First part cloudy. Latter fair

5th day Thu 14

Lat 15 22 S

Lat 17 20 W

Moderate breezes. Saw "Killers" Lat

5th day Thu 14

Lat 15 57 S

Lat 17 38 W

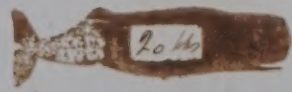
Pleasant gales and fine weather. Saw nothing

5th day Thu 15

Lat 15 42 S

Lat 17 49 W

Moderate breeze and fair. 2 P.M. saw spm wh.
 heaving to windward & lowered boats with
 on weather bow. Struck & got loose from 2
 one small one sunk & captured one to waist
 boat. Took him alongside at 9 o'clock



Lat 15 50 S

Lat 17 11 W

Fine weather. Put in wh & commenced boating

Lat 15 45 S 17 13 W

Journal of a whaling voyage in the Pacific

Jan 1st Coast of Peru

1858

Wed Light breezes. Finished boiling
58th day Thur 75° Lat 15 36 P
Long 77 17 W

Sat
2nd

Light airs and fair. Paid ship bonds
59th day Lat 15 35 P
Long 77 13 W

Sun
3rd

All these 24 hrs calm
60th day Thur 80° Lat 15 37 P
Long 78 54 W

Mon
4th

Calm. Let up head stays
61st day Thur 82° Lat 15 47 P
Long 78 52 W

Tues
5th

Light breezes and fair. Looked for black
fish 62nd day Fri 80° Lat 16 05 P
Long 76 49 W

Wednes
6th

Light airs varying from P to E.S.E.
63rd day Thur 83° Lat 16 26 P
Long 77 18 W

Thurs
7th

Moderate breezes. Carried all all sail
through the night. Bound to P.E. Letting
up rigging and calking fore-castle deck
64th day Thur 84° Lat 16 30 P
Long 76 41 W

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Fri
8th

Light airs from E.W. S.P.E. and black fish
65th day 84° Lat 16 35 P
Long 76 02 W

Sat
9th

Light breezes from E.S.E. and fair
66th day Fri 82° Lat 17 29 P
Long 76 12 W

Sun
10th

Light breezes varying from E.S.E. to P.P.E.
67th day Sat 80° Lat 17 45 P
Long 76 08 W

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Dean on board Sloop "Coursor" of New Bedford
Off Africa

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Mon

11th

12th

13th

14th

15th

16th

17th

18th

19th

20th

21st

22nd

23rd

24th

25th

26th

27th

28th

29th

30th

31st

1st

2nd

3rd

4th

5th

6th

7th

8th

9th

10th

11th

12th

13th

14th

Moderate breeze and fair. Porpoises & etc
18th day Ther 77° Lat 18 07 P.
Lon 75 17 W.

Moderate breeze. Saw school sperm who bound to
windward. Lowered boats to cut them off without
success. Saw a barge, whaler
19th day Lat 18 03 P.
Lon 74 27 W.

Light breezes. At 5 A.M. saw sperm who bound
to windward. Lowered two boats. Starboard
boat captured one. Put him in at 4 P.M.
20th day Lat 18 11 P.
Lon 73 30 W.

Light breezes & fair. Boiling
21st day Ther 80° Lat 18 06 P.
Lon 73 23 W.

Moderate breeze. Finished boiling. Saw a ship
and a large dead whale.
22nd day Ther 79° Lat 18 16 P.
Lon 73 03 W.

Light breezes and fair. Spoke ship Spartan
23rd day Ther 77° Lat 18 36 P.
Lon 72 32 W.

First part calm latter part light breeze
24th day Ther 78° Lat 18 45 P.
Lon 72 09 W.

Light breezes & fair. Coopering oil to stow
25th day Ther 78 Lat 18 55 P.
Lon 71 17 W.

Light trades & fair. Stowed to bbl oil.
Made land near Africa
26th day Lat 18 26 P.
Lon 70 40 W.

Light breezes. Sunrise Captured a bbl fish
9 P.M. Saw sperm bound to windward. Chased
them out of sight without success
27th day Lat 18 55 P.
Lon 70 51 W.

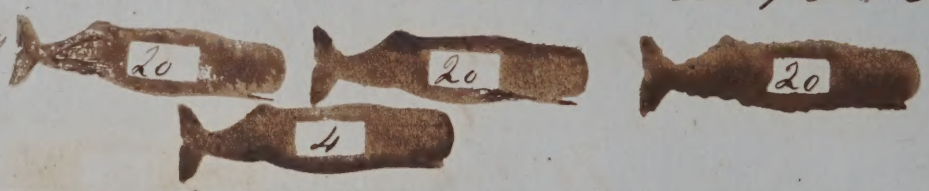
Journal of a whaling voyage in the S

Off Nicaragua

1858
Jan 2nd

Thurs Commenced with light breezes. Mid. part
Calm. Latter part moderate breeze. At 10 P.
Saw sperm whs. Starboard & Larboard bo
captured one each. Bow Boat 2 (a cow
& calf) Waist boat struck and was stowed
Took whales alongside but in one cow
& hoisted the calf in whole. Lat 19. 10 S
Land dist. 35 miles L 70. 50

78th day



Fri

22nd

All these 24 hrs light airs & calms. Cut in
2 whs & commenced boiling Lat 18. 58
Land dist 30 mt 79th day L 70. 45

Sat

22nd

Calm. Land dist. 25 miles. Boiling
8th day Thurs 82° Lat 19. 07 S
L 70. 38 W.

Sun

23rd

Light airs & calms. Finished Boiling
Land dist 30 mt Lat 19. 12 P
81st day Thurs 77° L 70. 43 W.

Mon

24th

Moderate breeze. Coopering oil to stow
82nd day Thurs 76° Lat 18. 57 P
L 70. 30 W.

Tues

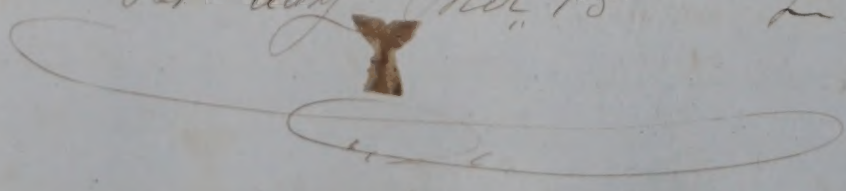
25th

Moderate breeze. Stowed oil. Saw 2 ships
83rd day Lat 19. 30 P
L 70. 40 W.

Wednes

26th

Moderate breezes. Saw 2 ships and school wh
whs. Latter bound to windward. Covered
boats in chase without success Lat 19. 25 P
84th day Thurs 78° L 70. 55 W.



Dean on board Sargue Courier of N.B.

Off Africa

1858
Jan 28th
Wed Fresh breeze and cloudy. Saw merchant ship
85th day Th 77° Sat 19 35 P
Sun 70 58 W

Jan 29th
Sat Light breezes. Repairing boat. Tarring down sea
86th day Th 74° Sat 19 32 P
Sun 70 50 W

Jan 30th
Sat Light breezes and fair. Land in sight
87th day Th 73° Sat 19 30 P
Sun 70 58 W

Jan 31st
Sun Moderate breezes and fair
88th day Sat 19 37 P
Sun 71 39 W

Feb 1st
Mon Moderate. Put main boat out. Saw carcass
and ship 89th day Sat 19 45 P
Sun 71 50 W

Feb 2nd
Tue Light breezes. Rattolling rigging
90th day Sat 19 39 P
Sun 71 53 W

Feb 3rd
Wed Light breeze. Dull & monotonous
91st day Th 75° Sat 20 06 P
Sun 71 22 W

Feb 4th
Thurs In edge of green water. with light breezes
92nd day Th 76° Sat 19 07 P
Sun 71 22 W

Feb 5th
Fri Fresh breeze made the land dist 25 mi
93rd day Th 77° Sat 18 42 P
Sun 70 44

Feb 6th
Sat Light breezes. Land in sight
94th day Sat 19 09 P
Sun 71 01 W

Feb 7th
Sun

Journal of a whaling voyage in the Arica ground

1358
Feb 7th

Sun Light breezes and fine weather
95th day

Lat 18. 22 S
Lon 11. 55 W

Mon 8th

Light breezes. Saw big round lark
96th day Thu 76

Lat 19 30 S
Lon 12 02 W

Tues 9th

Moderate breezes. Tarring & Calking deck
97th day

Lat 19 52 S
Lon 12 12 W

Wed 10th

Moderate breezes. Saw black fish
98th day Thu 76

Lat 19 53 S
Lon 12 40 W

Thurs 11th

Light breezes. Saw blk. fish & finbacks
99th day

Lat 19 50 S
Lon 12 00 W

Fri 12th

First & mid part calm. Latter, fresh breeze
water very light green

Lat 20 00 S
Lon 12 21 W

Sat 13th

First part Light breeze. Latter moderate
101st day

Lat 20 16 S
Lon 12 26 W

Sun 14th

Light breezes from S & S E cloudy
102 day

Lat 20 23 S
Lon 12 30 W

Mon 15th

Light breezes from S & S E & calms. Bond
mended 103rd day B. T. sail

Lat 20 30 S
Lon 13 33 W

Tues 16th

Moderate breeze from S & S E
104th day Thu 72

Lat 20 58 S
Lon 14 22 W

Wed 17th

First part light air calms and clouds
latter part dead light breeze from S & S E
105th day Thu 72

Lat 21 23 S
Lon 14 33

Pacific Ocean on board Sargue Courier

Bound South

Feb 18	Light breezes from S E by S and fair	105 th day	Thur 72°	Lat 21.. 57 S	Lon 75.. 35
Feb 19 th	Breeze varying from S E to S. S. E & light	106 th day	Thur 70°	Lat 22 37 S	Lon 76 32 W
Feb 20 th	Light breezes. Heading from S W to S. S. W.	108 th day		Lat 23 09 S	Lon 77 24 W
Feb 21 st	Calm & light airs from S. E. Saw groups.	109 th day		Lat 23.. 36 S.	Lon 77.. 40 W.
Feb 22 nd	Commenced calm. Mid part light airs from W. S. W. Latter part moderate breeze from S. S. E.	110 th day	Thur 70°	Lat 24.. 03 S.	Lon 77.. 55 W.
Feb 23 rd	Light breezes from S. E. by S. and fair	111 th day		Lat 24 42 S	Lon 78 33 W.
Feb 24 th	Moderate breeze and fair. Heading from S. S. W. to S. W. by S. Made At Felix Island	112 th day		Lat 25.. 48 S	Lon 79 59 W.
Feb 25 th	First & Latter part calm. Mid part light breeze from S. S. E.	113 th day		Lat 26.. 08 S	Lon 80.. 28 W.
Feb 26 th	Light variable winds & calms. Saw sail	114 th day	Thur 78°	Lat 26 33 S	Lon 80.. 42 W.
Feb 27 th	First and mid part calm. Latter part moderate breeze from S. S. E.	115 th day	Thur 72°	Lat 27 04 S	Lon 80 30 W.

Journal of a whaling voyage in the Bound South

1858
Feb 28th

Sun Fresh breeze from S.E. squally and heavy swell from sea
115th day Thu 28th Lat 28 02 P.
Lon 7 29 W.

Mon
March 1st

Fresh breeze from S.E. & light squalls
117th day Thu 30th Lat 29 50 P.
Lon 81 36

Tues
2nd

P.W. wind. Fresh to moderate. Much sea
some rain 118th day Thu 31st Lat 30 42 P.
Lon 84 52 W.

Wed
3rd

Moderate breeze from P.W. with squalls
119th day Thu 6th Lat 31 50 P.
Lon 86 02 W.

Thurs
4th

Light breezes from S.P.E. and fine weather. Saw whale-ship to windward
120th day Thu 7th Lat 32 16 P.
Lon 86 40 W.

Fri
5th

Light air & calm. Saw sperm wh in calm close aboard. Chased him without success
121st day  Lat 32 38 P.
Lon 86 30 W.

Sat
6th

Light breeze from S.P.E. Saw Grampuses
122nd day Lat 32 46 P.
Lon 87 06 W.

Sun
7th

Light breezes from S.P.W. and fair
123rd day Lat 33 09 P.
Lon 88 26 W.

Mon
8th

Strong breezes, and rain. Saw sail
124th day Lat 33 31 P.
Lon 86 40 W.

Tues
9th

First part strong winds. Latter part moderate from S.P.E.
125th day Lat 3 30 P.
Lon 86 27 W.

Pacific Ocean on board Barken Course

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or 10th

Moderate breeze from S.W. and fair
127th day Sat 33..23 P
Sun 34..13 W.

11th

Fresh breeze from S.W. and rough sea
128th day Sat 33..13 P
Sun 33..53 W.

12th

Fresh breeze from South and cloudy
129th day Sat 33..24 P
Sun 33..12 W.

13th

Commenced with fresh breeze from S. latter part moderate and cloudy. Searched for black fish
130th day Sat 33..30 P
Sun 32..30 W.

14th

First and middle part calm and cloudy. Latter light air from N.W.
131st day Sat 33..22 P
Sun 32..31 W.

15th

Moderate breeze from N.W. Saw 3 birds. cruising
Mended fore sail. Made the Massapuro
132nd day Massapuro bearing E.N.E.
Dist 6 leagues

16th

First part moderate breeze from N.W. latter part strong breeze. Ran down to leeward of
133rd day Massapuro

17th

First part fresh breeze from S.W. and rainy latter part fair and moderate. Saw several birds
134th day Massapuro dist 40 miles bearing E.

18th

First part calm latter part light breeze from N.W.
135th day Massapuro dist 25 miles

19th

Light breeze and fine weather. Spoke barken Bolpanian
136th day Massapuro dist 20 miles

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1858

Wed
Mar 2th

All these 24 hrs becalmed off

Wed

137th day

Massafuero

21st

Fresh breeze from N.E. Heavy shower
of rain at 12 M

Massafuero

Wed

138th day

P.P.E. 15 mi

22nd

Moderate breeze from S.W. and rainy. Saw 2 sails

139th day

Between Juan

Thurs

& Massafuero

23rd

Moderate breeze and variable weather

Wed

140th day

Between islands

24th

First part variable breezes and rainy. Latter
part fresh breeze from S.W. & fair

Thurs

141st day

Between Islands

25th

Fresh breeze from S.W. & fair. Saw sail

Fri

142nd day

Off Massafuero

26th

Moderate breeze from S.W. with few squalls

Sat

Saw 2 sails

143rd day

Juan Fernandez E 20 mi

27th

Moderate breeze from S.W. and fair

Sund

144th day

Off Massafuero

28th

All these 24 hrs light airs & calm

Mon

145th day

Massafuero P 30 mi

29th

Commenced with fresh breeze from N.W.
and increased to gale with squalls & rain
under storm sails

Massafuero

Tues

146th day

Bear E & E dist 18 mi

30th

Continues to blow first & mid part. Wind
backing gradually to W.S.W. Latter part
moderates & fair

Massafuero

Wed

147th day

Bearing N.E. dist 5 leagues

31st

First and middle part calm. Latter
part light breeze from W.S.W. Let up backstays

148th day

Massafuero

E.S.E. dist 35 mi

Journal on board Sargue House of New Bedford

Talcahuano

- 858
Thurs
12th Light variable winds and calms. Fished shoals
from fore hold to after hold. Saw 2 sails
11.9th day Masapuero I dist 15 m.
Fri
13th Moderate breeze from P.E. & fair. Lifting up shoals
for water 150th day Juan Fernandez
(by I dist 10 leagues)
Sat
14th Strong winds from P.E. & cloudy. Juan Fernandez
151st dist 12 miles
Sun
15th Continues to blow fresh from P.E. Hood in under
ke of Juan and went on shore, to buy wood
Mon
16th Strong winds from P.E. Oil leaking. Res^d for Talcahuano
152nd day Juan Fernandez
153rd day Lat 33 28 S,
Lon 78 51 W.
Tues
17th First part strong breeze from P.E. Latter part light
& cloudy 154th day Lat 30 00 S
Wed
18th First part calm. Mid & latter part light breeze
from N.W. & cloudy. Steering E.S.E. Lat 33. 45 S.
Thurs
19th All these 24 hrs light breeze from N.W. First & mid
cloudy Latter fair Steering P.E. & E Lat 34. 13 S
Fri
20th Light N.W. winds & cloudy. Steering P.E. & E Lat 35. 33 S
156th day Lon 75 43 W.
Sat
21st Light N.W. winds & cloudy. Steering P.E. & E Lat 35. 33 S
157th day Lon 74 19 W.
Sun
22nd First part light air from N.W. Latter part from
N.W. and foggy B.P.M. fair made land air Bonin
158th day Lat 36. 08 S
Mon
23rd Come to anchor at Talcahuano at 2
P.M. Lon 73. 23 W.

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Annual gathering voyage in the Pacific 1858 Takahama

Discharged third mate one boatsteers
Cooper & 13 seamen. Shipped a full
complement of 60 men. After being
all ready for sea was detained a week
by winds & weather. Took our anchor
May 3rd at 2 P.M. and stood out

Tues
May
4th

First part light northerly winds & rain
After part hauled to W. S. W. & fair
Several sails in sight Lat 36. 36 P
1st day Lon 73 27 W

Wednes
5th

Commenced with light airs & calms
After part moderate breeze from S.E.
2nd day Lat 35. 50 P

Thurs
6th

Moderate breeze from W.N.W. & cloudy
Captured a blackfish Lat 35. 26 P

Fri
7th

Strong breeze from S.E. clear & cold
3rd day Lat 35. 13 P
Lon 73. 43 W

Sat
8th

Moderate breeze from W.N.W. Made Land
Captured 2 Bl. fish Lat 35. 10 P

Sund
9th

Gale from S.E. with rain. After moderate
5th day Lat 35. 36 P
Lon 74. 28 W

Mon
10th

Moderate breeze from W.N.W. & cloudy
5th day Lat 35. 13 P

Tues
11th

Moderate breeze from N.W. Cloudy & fair
Saw 2 sails Lat 34. 47 S
Lon 73 45 W
7th day

can on board barge Courier of N B Co
Towards St Felix Island

858
12th day First part gale from S. E. Split main sail
Satter light breeze from N. N. W. & fair Ambient
M top sail 8th day Lat 34 31 S
L 73 58 W

13th day Light variable winds & cloudy. Bent by J. B. S. S. S.
Spore barge C. L. S. S. S. no obs

14th day Moderate breeze from S. E. & cloudy ambient
Spanker to mend Stem N. N. W. Lat 33. 27 S
L 74 58 W

15th day First part moderate breeze from S. E. & fair
Satter part hauled to S. E. & light. Bent Spanker
11th day Lat 31. 53 S
L 75. 33 W

16th day Gale from S. E. with rain. C. L. S. S. in sight
12th day no obs

17th day Light breeze from S. E. & fair. "Spore" C. L. S. S.
13th day Lat 30 13 S
L 77. 00

18th day All these 24 hrs calm. Ambient main sail to mend
14th day Lat 29 20 S
L 76. 58 W

19th day Commenced with light breeze from S. E.
Satter part moderate gale from W. and rain
15th day no obs

20th day All these 24 hrs gale from S. E. & rain
Steering N. W. Lat 27 53 S
L 78. 36 W

21th day Fresh breeze from S. E. Steering N. W. Made
St Felix Islands at 2 P. M. Mended &
Bent J. B. 17th day Lat 27 02 S
L 79 48 W

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In vicinity of St Felix Islands

1843
Sat May

22^d

Light breezes from S.W. & fair. Saw 4 sails
18th day

Sat 26 20 P.
L 79 31 W.

Sun

23^d

Light breezes from S.W. & fair
19th day

Sat 25 38 P.
Sun 79 03 W.

Mon

24

Moderate breeze from S.E. & fair. Mending J. Top sail
20th day

Sat 24 25 P.

Tues

25th

Moderate breeze from S.E. Bent fore top sail & mended
gaff top sail 21st day

Sat 24 10 P.
L 77 03 W.

Wedn

26th

Pleasant breezes from S.E. Mended & Bent J.
22^d day

Sat 23 41 P.
Sun 75 29 W.

Thurs

27th

Fri

28th

Sat

29th

Light airs from S.W. & calm
23^d day

No obs

Commenced calm. Sat part moderate
breeze from S.W. 24th day

No obs

Moderate breezes from S.W. & cloudy. Steered S.E. & E
25th day

Sat 23 04 P.
Sun 73 03 W.

Sun

30

Mon

31st

Light breezes from S.E. & cloudy. Steered N.E. & E
26th day

No obs

Light breezes from S.E. & cloudy. Painted
the whales 27th day

Sat 22 02
L 73 03 W.

Tues

1st

2nd

Light airs varying from S. to S.E. Painted
the whales. Put out two boats, Steered S.E. & E
28th day

Sat 21 27 P.
L 71 11 W.

Person on board Barque Courier of Bedford
Coast of Peru

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100th
- Sight variable air & cloudy. Boarded by boat from Barque "Catalpa", Permitting ship & boats
29th day
Commenced calm. Latter part light breeze from S.E. Saw 4 sails, 30th day
Sight breeze from S.E. and fair. Finished painting outside. Land dist 20 miles. Lat 19 38 S
31st day
First part light breeze from S.E. Latter part calm. Land dist 30 miles
32 day
Sight breeze from S.E. & cloudy steering W.
33rd day
Sight breezes from S.W. and calms
34th day
Sight air & calms. Permitting ship inside. Lowered boats for false alarm. Saw ship Constitution that down
35th day
Sight breezes from S.E. and calms. Finished painting inside
36th day
Moderate breeze from S.E. and fair. Steering W.
37th day
Sight trades and fine weather. Steering N.W.
38th day
Fresh breeze from S.E. and fair. Steering W. by S
39th day
Lat 15 20 S
Lon 11 45

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1858

June Towards, & on "Fisher Ground"

Sund

13th

Fresh trades & fair. Steering P.W. by W.

39th day

Lat 16. 55 P

Mon

14th

Moderate breeze from S.E. by S. Steering P.W. by W.

Lon 86. 06 W.

Varnished cabin 40th day

Lat 17. 50 P

Tues

15th

Strong breeze from S.E. Steering P.W. by W.

L 82. 23 W.

41st day

Lat 18. 46 P

Wedn

16th

Strong breezes & cloudy. Steering W. by S. W.

Lon 85. 55 W.

42^d day

Robts

Thurs

17th

Strong breezes. Arose too at sunset. Latter part

Spoke barge "Morning Light" Lat 19. 00 P

43^d day

Lon 23. 26 W.

Fri

18th

Strong winds and squally. Spoke barge

Citizen 44th day

Lat 18. 58 P

Sat

19th

Under double reef & foresail. Squally

45th day

Lat 19. 20 P

Sun

20th

Weather continues the same.

46th day

Lat 19. 06 P

Mon

21st

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47th day

Lat 19 12 P

Tues

22^d

Moderate, but with squally

48th day

Lat 18. 58 P

Wedn

23^d

Moderate breezes & light squalls

49th day

Lat 18 15

L 89 30

Sevan on board Sargue Courser of R. Bea.

25th *thick ground*

me 24th Fresh breezes and squally. *Finbacks*
50th day Sat 18 40 S
Sun 89 25 W

me 25th Light N.W. winds and rain squalls. Mended *Sail*
51st day Sat 18 50 S

me 26th Light airs and calms. Saw 2 sails & finbacks
52^d day Sat 18 58 S
Sun 89 17 W

me 27th First part calm. Latter light variable airs
53^d day Sat 18 52 S
Sun 89 11 W

me 28th Moderate breeze from W. and fair. Saw 8 sails
54th day Sat 19 38 S
Sun 89 33 W

me 29th Light air from S.E. Caulked under house
55th day Sat 19 23 S
Sun 89 16 W

me 30th Moderate breeze from E. and fine weather
56th day Sat 19 17 S
Sun 89 62 W

me 31st First part fresh breeze from W. Latter part moderate
57th day Sat 19 00 S
Sun 89 23 W

me 1st Light breezes and fair. Spoke Bks "Morning Light"
& "Hecla" 58th day Sat 19 06 S
Sun 89 40 W

me 2nd Fresh trades & cloudy. Saw 2 bargues chasing
Spm whs. Sailed with in company with
"Hecla" and chased a large wh. until dark,
59th day Sat 19 00 Sun 89 30

me 3rd Strong winds and squally. Under double
reefs 60th day Sat 19 10 S
Sun 89 26 W

"9"

Journal of a voyage in the Pacific Ocean

1858

Mon
July

Under ground

1st day

Under double reef & squally

1st day

Lat 19 37 S

Tues

2nd day

Strong winds and squally

2nd day

L 89 28 W

Wednes

3rd day

Weather continues the same

3rd day

Lat 18 53 S

Lon 89 28 W

Thurs

4th day

Moderates little. Carried gib & spander

4th day

Lat 19 14 S

L 89 18 W

Fri

5th day

Strong winds & squally. At 4 P.M. waisted
sabbard boat struck large ship wh. Ann
cut lines wh going to windward spouting
blood 5th day

Lat 19 07 S

L 89 08 W

Sat

6th day

Weather the same. Unwilling to find our wh
P.M. spoke Burgess Active. M Light and
Anaconda. Concluded to go west in
company with morning Light 6th day

Ship wrong 5 P.M. 18

Lat 18 55 S

L 89 03 W

Sund

7th day

Drish breezes with light squalls. Daylight
Kept away W.P.M. in company with "M Light"

6th day

Lat 18 53 S

L 90 15 W

Mon

12th day

All these 24 hrs moderate breeze & fair.
Saw aback through the night. At daylight
steered N.E. S. Saw S.S. "Catalpa" & "Chile"

7th day

Lat 19 00 S

L 90 59 W

8th day

Lat 19 05 S

L 90 38 W

Lon 92 12

on board Sloop "Cousin" of N Bedford
Bound to the westward

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by 13th First part light breeze from E. Latter part calm.
Spoke Sloop "Thos Pope" cutting a large whale
69th day Lat 18 48 N
Lon 92 58 W
- 14th Light breeze from S. & fair. Set fore topmast
studding sail. Steering W by N Lat 18 32 N
70th day Lon 94 05
- 15th Light part light breeze & fair. Latter part strong
breeze from S. P. E Bent main royal Lat 17 15 N
71th day Lon 96 13 W
- 16th Fresh breeze and fair. Steering West Lat 16 50 N
72th day Lon 99 33 W
- 17th Moderate breeze from E. & fair. 11 1/2 A.M. Saw
sprun whs. Lowered boats in company with
"Morning Light" whs struck & captured one
We, as usual nothing 
73th day Lat 16 35 N
Lon 101 10 W
- 18th Light breeze and fine weather. Steering S. W. by S.
74th day Lat 16 54 N
Lon 102 00 W
- 19th Moderate breeze from E. N. E and fair
Steering to W. 75th day Lat 16 34 N
Lon 103 30 W
- 20th Light breeze from E and fair. Steering W by N
76th day Lat 16 22 N
Lon 104 52 W
- 21st Moderate breeze from E. N. E & fair. Set up main
to half past four lowered boats for large sprun
wh. Main & larboard boats struck down of
the former drew to cut the other line.
Being dark when boats struck saw no more
of wh. Heard times! Lat 15 56 N
77th day  Lon 106 52 W

Journal of a whaling voyage in the Pacific Towards Society Islands

1858
Thurs

July 22 Light breeze & fine weather Steer W by S
Took in L Boat to remail Sat 16 17 S

Fri

23rd 78th day Light breeze from N.E. and fair, Steer W by S
Sat 16 21 S

Sat

24th Light variable winds & calms. Took in waist
boat to remail 80th day Sat 16 17 S

Sund

25th Light breeze from N.E. Steering W by S
81st day Sat 16 38 S

Mon

26th Moderate breeze from N.W. with rain squalls
Steering W by S 82nd day Sat 16 49 S

Tues

27th First part light breeze varying from W. to S.W.
with rain squalls. Latter part light air
from W.S.W. & fair lowered for blk fish
83rd day Sat 16 34 S

Wednes

28th All these 24 hrs light trades and fair Steering
W.S.W. 84th day Sat 16 7 S

Thurs

29th Fresh breeze from E by S & fair Steering W by S
85th day Sat 15 8 S

Frid

30th Strong breeze from E.S.E. and squally Steering
86th day Sat 15 7 S

Sat

31st Light breeze from E by S & fair. Bent &
let lower & top sails. Steer W 87th day Sat 16 45 S

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 on board Sloop Anne of N Bedford
 Toward Society Islands

- 88th day
 Fresh breeze from E. N. E & fair. Steering W. N. W.
 Sat 14 30 A
 Sun 124 54
- 89th day
 Moderate breeze from N to N. E. Steering W.
 Sat 14 18 P
 Sun 127. 22 W.
- 90th day
 Light breezes from N. and fair. Steering West.
 Sat 14 18 P
 Sun 129 00 W
- 91st day
 Light breezes & variable. Steering West.
 Sat 14 36 P.
 Sun 130 06 W.
- 92nd day
 Light airs from S. E. to fair. Steering West.
 Sat 14 23 P.
 Sun 130 59 W.
- 93rd day
 Light airs varying from S. by W to S. E. Steering W.
 Sat 14 10 P
 Sun 131 55 W.
- 94th day
 Moderate breeze from E. by S and fair. Steering W.
 Sat 14 00 P
 Sun 133 36 W.
- 95th day
 Light breezes from E. S. E to N. Steering W.
 Sat 13 56 P
 Sun 134 59 W.
- 96th day
 Light easterly breezes and fair. Steering W. N. South.
 Sat 13. 57 P
 Sun 135. 02 W.
- 97th day
 Weather and winds the same. Steering W. N. S.
 Sat 13. 58 P
 Sun 137. 05 W.
- 98th day
 First part light. Latter part moderate breeze
 from E. Steering W.
 Sat 14 00 P
 Sun 138. 58 W.

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1858
Thurs

Aug 12th Fresh breeze from E^{ad} and fair. Passed between Islands Mytohel & Ooroh
99th day Lat 14. 10 S
L 141. 18 W

Wednes
15th

Fresh breeze from E^{ad} steering W
100th day Lat 14. 03 S
L 141. 13 W

Sat
16th

Light breeze from N.E. & fair 3/2 P.M. Hauled too under P.W. end of Wilsons or Manhihi Island
B.M. Light sent boat ashore. Lat 14. 25 S
101st day L 141. 05 W

Sun
15th

Moderate breeze from N.W. & fair Steery P.M.
passed to E^{ad} of Dear's island Lat 15. 17 S
102nd day L 142. 07 W

Mon
16th

First part fresh breeze from N.W. Steery
P.M. Latter part hauled to S & P. P.E.
raining & generally No obs.

Tues
17th

Fresh breeze from S.W. At daylight Tihiti
distant 15 miles. At sunset in 'doldrums'
middle of land Off Tahiti

Wednes
18th

Strong breeze through the night. Working
towards Tahiti. A.M. Landed in M.S. boat
at 5 o'clock P.M. Steered off N.W. 1/2 W for
Huahine Off Tahiti

Thurs
19th

Fresh breezes from P.E. Took a Pilot at
Huahine and came to anchor at 4 P.M.
In passage. Hedged up towards anchorage
until 8 o'clock and lay through the night
Huahine

Frid
20th

Hedged up to anchorage & moved ship
in company with morning light

Beam on board Sargue Course of St. Bedford
Bound to westward

3. Ship ready for sea wanting one man
in place of Manuel Silva (boatsteer)
discharged. Took our anchor at 3 P.M.
and stood out. discharged Pilot stored
anchor & lay off & on through the night

3rd Shipped a Kanaka, went on board &
steered P.W. to clear Riatea Island
1st day

Light breezes from S.E. Sent new Main
Sprail. Steering W.P.W. Riatea Island
2nd day

First part variable winds & rainy. Latter
part light breezes from S.E. & fair. Mended
y. jib Steering W.P.W.
3rd day

Moderate trades and fair. Mended ft.
Morning light in sight. Steering W.P.W.
4th day Jan 82 Lat 17.38 S
L 155.25 W.

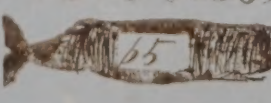
First part light breezes from S.E. & fair
Mid part heavy rain with fresh breeze
from S.E. Latter. fair. Steering W.P.W.
5th day Jan 81 Lat 18.09 S L 157.36 W

Fresh breezes from S.E. Made & passed
the island of Whylootacke. Parted company
with the M. Light after sailing 160.00
1200 miles. 6th day Off Whylootacke
Jan 16

Commenced with moderate trades. Latter
part light air & calms. Steering P.W.
7th day Jan 10 Lat 19.16 S
L 161.53 W

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1858 Towards the West ground

- Sep 5th Fresh breeze varying from S to S.W. Steering
 on S.W. tack Mendee fore top gallt sail
 8th day Thur 7^o Lat 18. 56 P.
 L 164. 02 W.
- Wed 8th Moderate breeze from S.W. & fair. Steering by the
 wind 9th day Thur 7^o Lat 18. 53 P.
 L 165. 04 W.
- Thur 9th Light breeze from S.W. & fair. Bent new
 foresail & Main top gallt sail. Steering S.E.
 10th day Thur 7^o Lat 19. 30 P.
 L 164. 06 W.
- Fri 10th Moderate breeze from S.P.E. & fair Steering S.W.
 11th day Lat 20. 16 P.
 L 165. 24 W.
- Sat 11th Moderate breeze from E.N.E. & fair. Steering S
 12th day Thur 7^o Lat 22. 06 P.
 L 165. 16 W.
- Sun 12th Strong breeze from S.W. & cloudy first & mid
 part. Latter part hauled suddenly to S.W.
 with heavy rain. Steering S Lat 25. 00 P.
 13th day Thur 7^o L 166. 26 W.
- Mon 13th Light breezes from S.W. & fair. Mendee Main Sail
 14th day Thur 7^o Lat 25. 37 P.
 L 167. 27 W.
- Tues 14th Light southerly winds & fair. Beating up
 15th day Thur 7^o Lat 26. 16 P.
 L 168. 10 W.
- Wed 15th Moderate breezes from S.W. 82 A.M. lowered
 boats for the whs. Starboard boat captured
 one. Waist boat stove. Boats wh. to the
 and hove in hica. Lay by body through night
 16th day  Thur 7^o Lat 26. 40 P.
 L 168. 50

Bear on board Barge Courier of Bedford New Zealand ground

- 17th Light breeze from S.W. cut in whale & commenced
 Boiling 17th day Thur 10 Lat 26.47 S
 Lon 169.16 W
- 17th Light variable winds and fine weather. Boiling
 Steering S.P.E. 18th day Thur 10 Lat 27.28 S
 Lon 168.58 W
- 18th Light breeze from S.W. Finished boiling. Steering S.P.E.
 19th day Thur 10 Lat 28.20 S
 Lon 168.31 W
- 19th Moderate breeze from S.W. & cloudy. Latter part
 hauled to S.P.W. with some rain. Steering S by E & E
 20th day Thur 15 Lat 30.05 S
 Lon 168.10 W
- 20th First part light breeze from S.W. with rain. Latter
 light variable winds & fine weather. Booping oil
 to stow. 21st day Thur 15 Lat 31.02 S
 Lon 167.53 W
- 21st Moderate breeze from W. Stowed down oil.
 Steering S 22nd day Thur 16 Lat 32.20 S
 Lon 167.26 W
- 22nd Moderate breeze from W.N.W. & fair. Ambient strange
 sail. Shortened sail at night 23rd day Thur 16 Lat 33.05 S
 Lon 168.19 W
- 23rd Light breeze from W.S.W. & fair. Steering N.E.
 24th day Thur 16 Lat 32.50 S
 Lon 167.58 W
- 24th Light breeze from W.N.W. Hauled Barge M. Light
 25th day Thur 16 Lat 32.54 S
 Lon 167.34
- 25th Moderate breeze from N.W. & fair
 26th day Thur 16 Lat 33.10 S
 Lon 169.08 W

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1858

Sep 25
Wed

Double reefed breeze from N^W Standing
to N^W 27th day Ther 65 Sat 66. 30 P
Sun 170. 19 W.

Mon
27th

Moderate gale from N^W first part.
Better part moderates with rain
28th day No obs

Tues
28th

Light breezes from S.E. & cloudy.
29th day Ther 63 Sat 63. 20 P
L 171. 30 W.

Wednes
29th

Moderate gale from N^W and raining
30th day Ther 64 No obs

Thurs
30th

Strong winds from N^W foggy &
rainy 31st day Ther 64 No obs

Oct 1st
Fri

Light breeze from S.W. & cloudy Ther 65
32 day Ther 64 Sat 66. 56 P
L 169. 62 W.

Sat Oct
2nd

Light breeze from S.E. & cloudy
33rd day Ther 61 No obs

Sun Oct
3rd

Fresh breeze from S.E. & fair. Running to S.E.
34th day Ther 60 Sat 66 12 P
Sun 167. 19 W.

Mon Oct
4th

Light breeze from S.E. & fair
35th day Ther 59 Sat 62 43 P
Sun 165. 51 W.

Tues Oct
5th

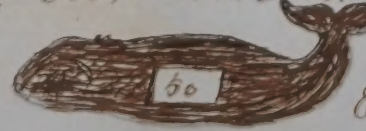
Fresh breeze from S.W. & fair. on from S.W.
36th day Ther 59 Sat 63. 66 P
Sun 165. 65 W.

Wed Oct
6th

Light breezes from W^W & fair
37th day Ther 59 Sat 64. 22 W
L 166. 10 S

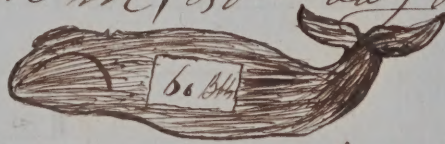
Courser in the South Pacific Ocean

New Zealand ground

- 28th Sept
 7th Light breeze from W^d and fair. Dull enough
 38th day Thu 61 Lat 35. 50 S
 Lon 165. 54 W.
- 8th First part light breeze from S^d. Mid part calm.
 Latter part light breeze from W^d and fair.
 39th day Fri 58 Lat 34. 38 South
 Lon 167. 29 West
- 9th Light air & calm. Saw number finbacks
 40th day Thu 61 Lat 34. 08 S
 Lon 167. 31 W
- 10th First part light breeze from S^d. Latter part strong
 breeze from N.E. & rainy. No observation
 41st day Thu 62
- 11th Strong breeze from S^d and fair. Steered to N^d
 42nd day Thu 63 Lat 32. 46 S
 Lon 166. 24 W.
- 12th Wind from S^d light & variable
 43rd day Thu 60 Lat 32. 16 S
 Lon 166. 37 W
- 13th Light breezes varying from E to S.E. & cloudy
 44th day Thu 61 Lat 32. 52 S
 Lon 168. 08 W.
- 14th Moderate breezes from N^d & cloudy. Saw right
 whale. Lowered boats without success
 45th day Thu 61  Lat 33. 53 S
 Lon 166. 53 W.
- 15th Light breezes from N^d & cloudy. Saw 8th fish
 46th day Thu 62 Lat 34. 05 S
 Lon 166. 07 W
- 16th Fresh breeze from S.E. & cloudy. Sawboard boat
 captured right wh. Took him to ship at 10 P.M.
 47th day Thu 63  Lat 33. 53 S
 Lon 165. 12
 167. 08

Journal of a whaling voyage in the Pacific New Zealand ground

- 1858
Oct 17th Sunday Light breeze from E. & fair. Cut in whale & commenced boiling.
18th day Thur 50 Sat 33. 40 P
L 166. 36 W
- Monday 18th Light breeze from E. and fine weather. Sounded boats once for two rt. whs. without success. Boiling.
19th day Thu 64 Sat 33. 54 P
L 166. 48 W
- Tuesday 19th Light breeze from E. At 11 A.M. Sounded boats for right whs. Bow boat struck & captured one. Took him alongside at 3 P.M. Cut him in, 20th day Thu 63 Sat 33. 56 P
L 167. 11
- Wednesday 20th Strong wind from S.E. and fair under clouds. Boiling. Paid nothing.
21st day Thur 60 Sat 34. 06 P
L 166. 42 W
- Thursday 21st Moderate gale from S.E. Boiling. Sounded for 2 whs on eve of this day.
22nd day Thur 59 Sat 34. 20 P
L 167. 27 W
- Friday 22nd Light breeze from S. Sounded 50 bbls oil. Saw a whale ship to leeward. & one wh.
23rd day Thur 59 Sat 34. 07 P
- Saturday 23rd Commenced with moderate breeze from N.W. Starboard boat struck & captured a wh. latter part increases to a gale with rain. Cut in whale.
24th day Thur 62 Sat 34. 50 P
L 166. 13



An error in these longitudes of 35 miles

Can on Board Sarge Courier of h Bedford

October 13 New Zealand ground
Moderate breeze from SWth and fair, Boiling and
stowing oil
56th day Thu 62° Lat 33.44 S
L 166.10 W

October 14th Commenced with light breeze from Wnd. Latter
part calm. Sounded twice for whs without
success. Saw 3 sails. No whs
56th day Thu 63

October 15th Fresh breeze from End and squally. Saw and
sounded for a number of whs all going quick
without success. Spoke Morning Light with
one whale the season. Split flying jib in
pieces. Evon in chas per M light of 35° E.
57th day Thu 63 Lat 34.14 S
L 166.57 W

October 16th Strong breeze from End with few squalls. Stowing
oil. Saw two whs & lost sight of them again
58th day Thu 63 Lat 35.40 S
L 167.00 W

October 18th Light breeze from NWth saw but one whale going
fast to End. Bent old main top rail & new fly
ing jib
59th day Thu 63 Lat 34.16 S
L 167.06 W

October 19th Moderate breeze from E.N.E. Saw several sails
one whaling
60th day Thu 63 Lat 35.23 S
L 166.58 W

October 20th Strong breeze from SWth & hauled to Wnd
Spoke Sarge Morning Light. Steered off
E by N in company. At 2 P.M. Sounded
for a wh without success
61st day Thu 62 Lat 35.16 S
L 166.27

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Open Sea and ground

- 1858
Sun Oct
31st Among breeze from W^{ad} & S^{asy}. Steered E to
12 M. Then hauled up P. Saw nothing
1st day Thur 61 Lat 35. 23 N
No obs
- Mon Nov
1st Light breeze from W. S. W. & fair. Spoke ships
Rainbow & Martha Lat 35. 25 N
1st day Thur 61 L 35. 31 W
- Tues Nov
2^d Light air from N^{et} & cloudy. Saw nothing
2nd day Thur 61 Lat 35. 28 S
L 35. 39 W
- Wed Nov
3^d Light breeze from N^{et} & cloudy. Saw first bale
3rd day Thur 61 Lat 35. 25 P
L 35. 49 W
- Thurs Nov
4th Strong wind from N^{et} & rainy. Latter part clear
to W^{ad} with fair weather Lat 35. 52 N
1st day Thur 63 L 35. 59 W
- Fri 5th
day Moderate breeze from E^{ad} & fair. Spoke ship
Morning Light Lat 36. 10 P
1st day Thur 62 L 36. 44 W
- Sat 6th
Nov Fresh breeze from S. W. Saw & covered for
right whale in the morning & at 3 P.M.
without success. Steering S.E.
6th day Thur 60 Lat 36. 18 S
L 36. 56
- Sund Nov
7th Moderate gale from W. S. W. with very heavy
swell from S. W. 6th day Thur 58 Lat 36. 42 S
L 36. 14 W
- Mon Nov
8th Continues to blow a moderate gale from
S. W. with squalls. Steading to P.E. Wore ship
at 4 P.M. 7th day Thur 57 to 60 Lat 37. 45 W
L 37. 21 W

From on Board Barque Counsel of Bedford
New Zealand ground

858
Nov 9th
Moderate breeze from S.W. & cloudy. Sounded
boat once for a number at wh. going quick to S.W.
without success  Lat 36.4. S
1st day Th 60 L 162.46 W

Nov 10th
Commenced with light breeze from S.W. Middle
part calm. Latter part light breeze from E. &
cloudy 72nd day Th 60 Lat 36.23 S
L 162.30 W

Nov 11th
All these 24 hrs light air from E. & calms
saw nothing 73rd day Th 60 Lat 36.37 S
L 162.27 W

Nov 12th
Light air & calms. Caught a sunfish
74th day Th 60 Lat 36.44 S
L 162.49 W

Nov 13th
First part light breezes from E. & latter part
strong breeze from N.E. Steering S.E.
75th day Th 59 Noobs

Nov 14th
Moderate gale veering from N.E. to N with
fog & rain. 76th day Th 59

Nov 15th
All these 24 hrs a gale from W. with squalls
76th day Th 59 Lat 40.24 S
L 159.44 W

Nov 16th
Continues to blow a gale from W. with squalls
Turned Pinot in I.S.M. staysail sheet & shook
sail to pieces 77th day Th 54 Lat 39.32 S
L 159.29 W

Nov 17th
Still blowing a gale but towards the latter
part moderates a little and hauls to S.W.
Found leak of fore sail nearly packed Lat 39.07 S
78th day Th 55 L 159.10 W

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1858
Thurs Nov
18th

Gale abates & wind hauled to W. S. W.

Bent new fore top sail & fore top mast stay

79th day Th^r 5^h

Lat 39. 28 S

Ln 159. 03 W.

Fri Nov
19th

Fresh breeze from S W by W & cloudy Working

80th day Th^r 5^h

Lat 40. 28 S

Ln 157. 41 W.

Sat Nov
20th

Moderate breeze from S. W. & cloudy. Saw

finbacks 81st day Th^r 5^h

Lat 40 42 S

Ln 157. 19 W.

Sun Nov
21st

Under double reef. wind from N. by N.

Foggy. drizzling. dark & gloomy. Ship on

Red tack No obs

Mon 22nd
Nov

82nd day Th^r 5^h

Moderate breeze from W. N. W. & cloudy. Saw

& lowered for a right wh. without success

83rd day Th^r 5^h

No obs Lat 42. 20 S

Ln 158. 00 W.

Tues Nov
23rd

Moderate gale from N. & cloudy. Spoke target

Caroline Greenport with one whale

84th day Th^r 5^h

Lat 42. 32 S

Ln 158. 40 W.

Wed Nov
24th

Commenced calm & hazy. Terminated

with light breeze from E. & cloudy

85th day Th^r 5^h

Lat 42. 37 S

Thurs
Nov 25th

First part strong breeze from N. S. S. Latter

part increases to gale

86th day Th^r 5^h

Lat 42 32 S

Lat 49. 20 W.

Frid
Nov 26th

Commenced with a gale from N. S. S.

Mid part Moderates with fog & rain. Latter

part hauled to S. W. light & fair

87th day Th^r 5^h

Dec on board barque Courier of R Balford
New Zealand ground

27th Moderate breeze from W. N. W. and fair
88th day Thur 55 Lat 42° 7' S
Lon 159° 57' W

28th Light breezes from N. N. W. and fair
89th day Thur 58 Lat 41° 40' S
Lon 160° 11' W

29th First part light breeze from N. W. & varying
latter part light wind from S. E. & fair. Sowed
boats for a "gam" of three at wh. Unsuccessful
90th day Thur 59 Lat 41° 07' S
Lon 160° 53' W

Nov 30th Light breeze from S. E. & fair. Steaming N. W.
Saw 2 ships
91st day Thur 57 Lat 40° 23' S
Lon 161° 43' W

1st Moderate breeze from S. E. & fair. Steaming N. W.
& N. E. Saw ship Angoda capture a whale
92nd day Thur 57 Lat 39° 30' S
Lon 161° 51' W

2nd Fresh breeze from W. S. W. & cloudy. Number
ships in sight
93rd day Thur 58 Lat 39° 20' S
Lon 161° 13' W

3rd Double reefed breeze from W. S. W. cloudy
& hazy
94th day Thur 58 Lat 39° 20' S
Lon 161° 01' W

4th Fresh breeze from S. S. W. & fair. In sight 4 ships
95th day Thur 58 Lat 39° 00' S
Lon 161° 31' W

5th Strong winds from W. S. W. & fair. Exchanged
sight with Sarah Sheple. Barque
96th day Thur 51 Lat 39° 44' S
Lon 161° 35' W

6th Strong winds from W. & hazy
97th day Thur 50 Lat 40° 44' S
Lon 161° 36' W

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New Zealand ground

1858

Dec 7th

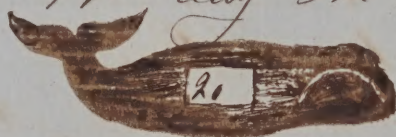
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First part strong winds from W. N. W.
& hazy. Latter part light breeze & cloudy
9th day Jan 58 Lat by D R 41.40 S

Wednes

Dec 8th

Light breeze from W. P. W. P.M. 3 o'clock saw
a starboard boat captured at wh. Cut
him in 9th day Jan 58 Lat 42.27 S
L 161.55 W.



Thurs

Dec 9th

First part moderate gale from N. W. &
raining. Latter part hauled to P. W. and
increases heavy gale. Goose-winged Man
top sail 10th day Jan 58 Lat 42 43 S
L 160 52 W

Fri

Dec 10th

Commenced with a gale from S. S. W. and hauled
to W. S. W. Commenced boiling but cooled
down to ripen the blubber Lat 42 57 S
L 161 22 W

Sat

Dec 11th

Moderate gale from W. to N. W. At 5 A.M.
lowered boats for at wh. without success
Latter part rain & fog No obs
103rd day Jan 58

Sund

Dec 12th

Light breezes from W. & cloudy. Lowered
three for at wh. Starboard boat cut an
iron in slack blubber. Waist boat missed
Boiling 104th day Lat 42 22 S
L 161 28 W

Mon

Dec 13th

Light southerly breeze to fair. Saw 2 whs
to windward. Beat ship up lowered
& starboard boat captured one Lat 42 21
105th day Jan 58 L 161 18 W



Man on Board Barque Courier of N Bedford
New Zealand ground

14th Commenced with strong breeze from S.W. and increased to a gale. Spoke ship W^m Henry
Commenced boiling Sat 42 22 S.

15th 106th Day Th^{ur} 50 Lat 161 26 W.

15th First part moderate gale from S.W. and raining
 Latter part wind hauled to S.W. Moderate
& fair. Boiling. Saw finbacks Sat 42 28 S.

107th day Th^{ur} 50 Lat 161 25 W.

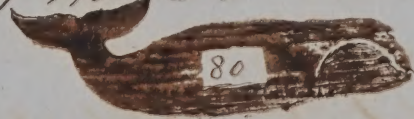
16th Light breeze from S.W. first part. Latter part
 calm. Stowed 80 bbls oil Sat 42 01 S.

108th day Th^{ur} 50

17th Strong winds from S.W. & fair. Finished stowing
 oil 109th day Th^{ur} 55 Lat 42 48 S.

Lat 159 53 W.

18th Moderate breeze from S.W. & fair. Starboard boat
 struck & captured at 10h took him to ship
 & cut till 10 P.M. Then lashed down for the
 night 110th day Th^{ur} 55 Sat 42 55 S.



Lat 160 30 W.

19th Fresh breeze from S.W. & cloudy. Finished cutting
 all but one blanket piece when we sunk
 and parted fluke chain at haul pipe.
 Started tryworks at noon Sat 43 30 S.

111th day Th^{ur} 55 Lat 159 43

20th Strong breeze from S.W. & cloudy. Boiling
 112th day Th^{ur} 55 Sat 42 39 S.

Lat 160 23 W.

21st Strong winds from S.W. & cloudy. Saw a
 ship to windward. Coopered oil to stow
 113th day Th^{ur} 58 Sat 42 20 S.

Lat 160 23 W.

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New Zealand ground

1853

Wed

Dec 22^d

Light air from S. P. W. & calm with some fog. Stowed down oil

Lat 42 32 P

Thurs

Dec 23^d

114th day Thurs 60

L 160. 00 W.

Sight breeze from S & fair with passing fog. Saw a ship. Steered S. P. W.

Lat 43. 03 S

Frid

Dec 24th

115th day Thurs 59

L 160 11 W

Moderate gale from N. N. W. & heavy. Steering S. P. W.

Lat 43. 03 S

Sat

Dec 25th

Commenced with a gale from S. & with rain. Latter part moderate & thick fog

Lon 161. 09 W.

Sun

Dec 26th

117th day Thurs 60

No obs

Light breeze from S. & fair. Steering S. E.

Lat 45. 00 S

Mon

Dec 27th

Moderate breeze from S & fair. Lowered for at wh. Main boat went on & boatsteer missed him. Disrated boatsteer & appointed another

Lat 45. 28 P

Tues

Dec 28th

119th day Thurs 60

L 159. 58 W

Main boat struck a rock & cut line with lance at dark

Commenced with moderate breeze from S. Starboard boat struck & dragged from wh. Latter part squally. Bent new fil

120th day Thurs 61

Lat 45 38 P

Wed

Dec 29th

Moderate gale from S. & squally. Saw a ship steering S. W.

Lat 45 35 S

Thurs

Dec 30th

121st day Thurs 62

L 159. 47 W

Strong wind from S. & squally. Saw a ship & carcass

Lat 45 32 P

L 159 54 W.

on board Barque Courier of New Bedford
178-9 New Zealand ground

31st Double reefed topsail breeze from Wnd & squally
Saw a sail to windward. Steered South
123rd day Thur 53 Lat 46. 16 S
Lon 160 22 W

1st All these 24 hrs strong winds from S and fair
Lowered boats for two who near sundown
without success 124th day Thu 54 Lat 46. 37 S
Lon 160. 37 W

2nd Breeze part moderates. Saw 2 whs darted at one
under water. Latter part heaves on from W
& hazy 125th day Thu 55 Lat 46 47 S
Lon 160 40 W

3rd Light breeze from NW & hazy. Saw nothing
126th day Thu 55 Lat 47. 05

4th Light breeze from W. S. W. & fine weather
Saw 2 sails. Steering Easterly 127th day Thu 55
Lat 47. 41 S
Lon 161. 39

5th Moderate breeze from N. W. & thick fog
128th day Thu 56 No obs

6th Fresh breeze from S^W & fair. Steering to E^{SE}
129th day Thu 57 Lat 47 30 S
Lon 159. 49 W

7th Strong breeze from S^W & fair. Man fell overboard
Lowered boat picked him up & stowed boat
alongside 130th day Thu 58 Lat 47 40 S
Lon 158 22 W

8th Moderate breeze from W. N. W. & cloudy
Steering N E by E 131st day Thu 57
Lat 47. 09 S
Lon 158. 36 W

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Towards Calakman

1859
Jan 9th

Sund Moderate gale from W. by N. latter part
raining. Steering S. E. by S Lat 47° 15' P
132nd day Thur 53

Mon

Jan 10th Moderate breeze from W. & fine weather
Working to Sea 133rd day Lat 48 19 P
Thur 54 L 154 27 W

Tues

Jan 11th Strong breeze from S. W. & cloudy. Spoke
Baque Auguster. Flag harbor Corolla Ma
134th day Ma 51 Lat 47 55 P
L 151.08 W

Wednes

Jan 12th Strong breeze from S. W. & cloudy. Steer E.
135th day Thur 52 Lat 47 52 S
L 150.05 W

Thurs

Jan 13th Fresh breeze from W. & bazy. Bent & set
st. & sails & main royal. Steering E
136th day Thur 53 Lat 48.10 P
L 141.49 W

Fri

Jan 14th Strong breeze from S. W. & cloudy. Steering E by N.
137th day Thur 52 Lat 48 06 P
L 137 28 W

Sat

Jan 15th Christ part strong breeze from S. S. W. & cloudy
latter part hauled to S by E & S. S. E & moderate
Steering E by N & E N E Lat 47 41 P
138th day Thur 52 L 132 44 W

Sun

Jan 16th Moderate breeze from W. S. W. & Cloudy. Steer E.
139th day Thur 52 Lat 47 43 P
L 129.17 W

Mon

Jan 17th Fresh breeze varying from W. S. W. to W. by N.
Steering E. by N Lat 47 54 P
140th day Thur 54 L 124 43 W

Ship on board Barque Course of Bedford
Towards Talcahuano

- 18th Strong breeze from W.N.W. & heavy. Steering E by N
141st day Jan 54 Lat 47 50 S
Lon 119 20 W
- 19th First part moderate latter part strong breeze from
W by N. Steering E by N Lat 48 15 S
142nd day Jan 53 Lon 114 58 W
- 20th First & mid part strong breeze from W.N.W. &
cloudy. Latter part moderate & fair. Steering E by N
143rd day Jan 53 Dist 222 miles Lat 48 00 S
Lon 109 27 W
- 21st First part moderate. Latter part strong breeze
from W by N & W. Steering N E by E Dist 158 miles
144th day Jan 54 Lat 47 32 S
Lon 105 36 W
- 22nd Commenced with a fresh breeze from W by N
Hauled to N by E, increased to gale with
rain. Close reefed main topsail & oars
145th day Jan 54 Lat 47 10 S
Lon 101 40 W
- 23rd Commenced with heavy gale from S.W.
with squalls & rain. Steered N.E. surge sea
& rough lost gang way rail. Latter part
moderates. Steered S.E. by N Lat 45 28 S
146th day Jan 55 Lon 96 25 W
- 24th First part moderate breeze from S.W. Latter part
light breeze from W.N.W. Bent new M topsail
Steering N.E. by W 147th day Jan 56 Lat 44 15 S
Lon 95 26 W
- 25th Light breeze from N.N.W. & fair. Letting up jibs
for fresh water. Steering by the wind Lat 43 22 S
148th day Jan 56 Lon 93 17 W

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By J. J. Cook

Towards Valparaiso

1859
Weds
Jan

27th

Light breeze from N.W. & fine weather.
Washing bone & setting up shooks. Steer by the
149th day Jan 62

Lat 42 57 S

Lon 90 52 W

Thurs

Jan 28th

Light air from N.W. & calms. Steering by the wind
150th day Jan 63

Lat 42 27 S

Lon 90 12 W

Fri

Jan 29th

First part calm. Latter part light breeze from
N.W. Steering N.E.
151st day Jan 64

Lat 42 14 S

L 89. 02 W

Sat

Jan 30th

Light breeze from S.W. & fair. Finished burning
bone. Carried away eye-bolt of sparboard gaff.
Steering N.E. 152nd day Jan 64

Lat 41 45 S

L 87. 04 W

Sund

Jan 31st

Light breeze from S. to S.E. with some rain.
Steering N.E. 153rd day Jan 63

Lat 40 58 S

L 85. 20 W

Mon

Jan 31st

Light breeze varying from E.S.E. to S.E. Steering N.E.
Saw a ship steering N.W.
154th day Jan 63

Lat 40 20 N

L 82 25 W

Tues

Feb 1st

Strong breeze from S. S.E. & fair. Steering N.E.
155th day Jan 65

Lat 39 11 S

L 78 42 W

Weds

Feb 2nd

First part fresh breeze from S. S.E. Latter part
light. Saw sail to leeward
156th day Jan 65

Lat 38 28 S

Lon 75 16 W

Thurs

Feb 3rd

First part light breeze from S.W. At daylight
Made the Island of Mocha dist 45 mi. At 11
captured 5 blackfishes. Latter part moderate
breeze. Came to an anchor at 7 P.M. in 9 fathoms
157th day Jan 67

Decan on board barque Conner of P. Bedford
Talcahuano & Mocha

59
1st Feb
1st day
Moderate breeze from S. Freighters off L boat back
wood waiting for potatoes
158th day Feb 17 Mocha

1st Feb
Fresh breeze from S. Finished recruiting &
took our anchor at 8 P.M. Bound to Talcahuano
159th day Mocha

1st Feb
Fresh breeze from South. At 5 P.M. came
to anchor at Talcahuano in 6 fathoms

Talcahuano

Discharged 17 men & Deserted. Shipped
22. refitted ship for another year and
took our anchor bound north on Saturday
Feb 19th with a fresh breeze from S. E.
Steering N by W & W.

1st Feb
Fresh breeze from S. E. Steering N by W
Bent new spars
1st day Lat 34. 19 S
L 72. 53 W

1st Feb
Strong breeze from S. E. & fair. Mending
old Foresail. Steering N.W. by W
2nd day Lat 31 47 S
L 73 26 W

1st Feb
Strong breeze from S. E. Paid off men going
quick to the windward. Did not lower boats
Steering N.W. by W
3rd day Feb 18 Lat 29. or S
L 75. 11 W

1st Feb
23rd
Strong breeze from S. E. Steering N.W. by W & W
Repairing old sails
4th day Lat 27 16 S
L 77 39 W

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- 1859
Thursth
Feb 24th Strong breezes from S.E. & fair. Lay aboard under short sail through the night at daylight steered N.W. by N. Lat 26 25 S
5th day L 78 25 W
- Fri
Feb 25th Moderate breeze from S.E. & fair Made St. Felix Islands & lay by through the night
6th day Thursth L 78 25 W
- Sat
Feb 26th Light breeze from S.E. & fair Bent old main top & sail. Steering N.W. by E Lat 25, 40 S
7th day Thursth L 77 45 W
- Sund
Feb 27th Light trades and cloudy. Steering N.W. by N
8th day Lat 24 19 S
L 77 58 W
- Mon
Feb 28th Light breezes & fine weather. Sounded for Ah fish without success. Mending main sail. Steering N.W. by E
9th day Thursth Lat 22, 22 S
L 78 21 W
- Tues
Mar 1st Light trades and cloudy. Finished mending main sail. Steering N.W. by E
10th day Thursth Lat 21 20 S
L 76 27 W
- Wednes
Mar 2^d Moderate breeze & cloudy. Mending fore topsail. Steering N.W. by E
11th day Thursth Lat 19 15 S
L 75 39 W
- Thurs
Mar 3^d Moderate trades & fair. Bent old fore topsail
12th day Thursth Lat 18 00 S
L 75 26 W
- Fri
Mar 4th Moderate trades & cloudy. Mending main topsail
13th day Thursth Lat 17 05 S
L 75 13 W

Pacific Ocean on Board Barque Courier

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by
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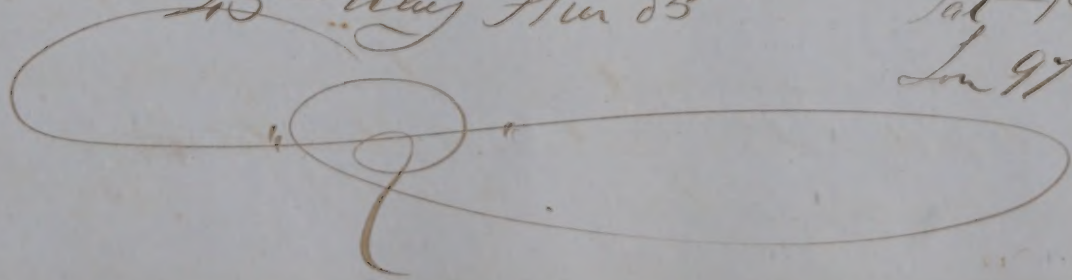
- on 5th Light breezes & fine weather. Bent. old m^o sprail
14th day Thu 80 Lat 16. 36 P
Lon 75. 51 W
- on 6th Moderate trades & fair. Saw 2 schools Black fish
15th day Thu 81 Lat 15. 43 P
Lon 75. 3 W
- on 7th Light trades and fair. Letting up head stays
& remaining Starboard boat
16th day Thu 83 Lat 14. 41 S
Lon 76. 46 W
- on 8th Light breezes and fine weather. Letting up fore
rigging. Painted Starboard boat
17th day Thu 83 Lat 14. 23 S
Lon 77. 55 W
- on 9th Gentle breezes & fair. Letting up main rigging
Mistook Drumpfishes for Gun whs & lowered nets
18th day Thu 83 Lat 13 27
Lon 78. 57 W
- on 10th Moderate breeze & fair. Letting rigging
19th day Thu 83 Lat 13 02 P
Lon 80 03 W
- on 11th Light trades & fair. Steering on opposite tack
20th day Thu 82 Lat 12. 28 P
L 80 19 W
- on 12th Moderate breeze & cloudy. Not tacking down
21st day Thu 80 Lat 12 20 P
L 80 37 W
- on 13th Light breeze & cloudy. Saw barque to leeward
22^d day Thu 80 Lat 12 20 P
L 80 01 W
- on 14th Light breezes and fair. Saw a sail. Tacking down
23^d day Thu 81 Lat 11 40 P
L 80 01 W
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1859
Towards Paia

- Tues
Mar 15th Light breezes & fair. Tarring rigging.
23rd day Thur 82 Lat 10. 41 S.
Lon 80. 35 W.
- Wednes
Mar 16th Light breezes and fair. Steering N. by W.
24th day Thur 83° Lat 9. 51 S.
Lon 80. 38 W.
- Thurs
Mar 17th Gentle breezes and fine weather. Steer N. by W.
25th day Thur 82 Lat 8. 28 S.
Lon 80. 52 W.
- Friday
Mar 18th Light breezes & fair. Working to wind.
26th day Thur 81 Lat 7. 01 S.
Lon 81. 01 W.
- Sat
Mar 19th Light breezes and fair. Made the Coast.
27th day Thur 81 Lat 6. 13 S.
Lon 81. 01 W.
- Sun
Mar 20th Moderate & fair. Made Paia Head.
28th day Thur 75 Paia Head
Land dist 60 M's
- Mon
Mar 21st 22° Off to on at Paia. Dist 25 M's
Moderate breeze. Saw a ship. Steering W. N. W.
29th day Thur 80 Lat 4. 12 S.
Lon 82. 43 W.
- Wednes
Mar 23 Light breezes & fair. Painting ship. Steering
W. N. W. Spoke ship La Amiga
30th day Thur 81 Lat 3. 23 S.
Lon 84. 07 W.
- Thurs
Mar 24th Light breezes & fine weather. Steering W. by N.
31st day Thur 81 Lat 2. 38 S.
Lon 85. 45 W.
- Frid
Mar 25th Light air and fair. Steering W. by N.
32nd day Thur 82 Lat 2. 42 S.
Lon 87. 08 W.
- Sat
Mar 26th Light breezes & fair. Painted lower masts.
Steering W. by S.
33rd day Thur 83 Lat 2. 24 S.
Lon 88. 30 W.

Beam on board Sargue County of Bedford
Towards Rodiac

- 859
 27. Moderate breeze. Made Hood's Island
 34th day Thur 85 Off Hood's island
28. Calms & light breezes. Painting outside
 Made & passed Cho's Island. Steering W. by N.
 35th day Thur 85 Lat 1. 30 S
 Lon 91. 07 W
29. Light breezes & calms. Steering N by E
 36th day Thur 86 Lat 1. 43 P
 Lon 92. 25 W
30. Light variable winds & rain Steering W. by W
 37th day Thur 86 Lat 2. 00 P
 Lon 93. 19 W
31. First part calm. Latter part light breeze
 Steering N by E 38th day Thur 86 Lat 1. 53 S
 Lon 94. 13 W
32. Calms & light air from S. Steering W. by W
 39th day Thur 86 Lat 2. 10 P
 Lon 95. 05 W
33. First part calm. Latter part light breeze from
 S. by W. 40th day Thur 86 Lat 2. 01 P
 Lon 96. 11 W
34. Light breeze from S. & fair Steering N by E
 41st day Thur 86 Lat 2. 02 P
 Lon 97. 40 W
35. Light breeze from W. by N. Steering N by W.
 42nd day Thur 86 Lat 2. 24 P
 Lon 97. 50 W
36. Light breeze from S. W. & fair Steering S. by W.
 43rd day Thur 86 Lat 1. 02 N
 Lon 97. 53 W



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- 1st day
Apr 1st Light breeze from S.W. & fair Steering N.W.
1st day Thur 85 Lat 2. 24 N
Lon 99. 05 W
- Thurs
Apr 2nd Light air varying from W to S.W. Steer. N.W.
1st day Thur 86 Lat 3. 21 N
Lon 99. 42 W
- Friday
Apr 3rd Light breeze varying from S.P.E. to S.W. Steer. N.W.
1st day Thur 87 Lat 1. 23 N
Lon 100. 09 W
- Saturday
Apr 4th Light variable winds & rainy. Steer. Northward
1st day Thur 85 Lat 5. 28 N
Lon 100. 31 W
- Sund.
Apr 5th Calm & light air from N.W. By the wind
1st day Thur 86 Lat 5 58 N
Lon 100 04 W
- Mon
Apr 6th Light air from N.W. & W S.W. & fair Steer. by
1st day Thur 90 Lat 6 31 N
Lon 100 06 W
- Tues
Apr 7th First part calm. Latter part light breeze
from E. & S. Steer. N.W.
5th day Thur 92 Lat 7. 06 N
Lon 100. 47 W
- Wednes
Apr 8th Moderate trades & fine weather Steer. N.W.
5th day Thur 88 Lat 8 55 N
Lon 102 24 W
- Thurs
Apr 9th Commenced with a light breeze from N.W.
Mid part tempestuous. Lat part light breeze
from N.W. & cloudy
5th day Thur 86 Lat 10 10 N
Lon 102 24 W
- Friday
Apr 10th Commenced light variable winds &
cloudy latter part moderate trade from N.W.
& S.W. Steer. N.W.
5th day Thur 87 Lat 10 10 N
Lon 102 24 W

Pacific Ocean on board Barque Courier Towards Rodiac

- 59
16 Moderate breezes varying from E to N.E.
with Thunder lightning & some rain
Steering W N W Lat 11 15 S.
54th day Lon 107 24 W
- 17th First part moderate breeze from N.E. Mid part
varying to E with rain. Latter part light from
N.E. & cloudy. Steering W N W Lat 12 04 N
55th day Ther 85 Lon 109 40 W
- 18th Moderate N.E. breeze with one rain squall
clouds condensing up all round with distant
Thunder. Steering W N W Lat 13 02 N
56th day Ther 86 Lon 111 48 W
- 19th First part light variable winds rain thunder &
lightning. Latter part moderate breeze from
N.E. & fair. Steering W N W Lat 13 52 N
57th day Ther 86 Lon 113 12 W
- 20th Fresh trades. Clear & Cloudy. Steering W N W
59th day Ther 81 Lat 15 20 N
Lon 115 04 W
- 21 Fresh trades & cloudy. Steering W N W
60th day Ther 78 Lat 16 10 N
Lon 118 40 W
- 22 Moderate breeze varying from N.E. to N & cloudy
Steering W N W Lat 17 24 N
61st day Ther 75 Lon 121 11 W
- 23rd Light breezes varying from N to N.E. & cloudy
Steering W N W Lat 17 22 N
62nd day Ther 76 Lon 123 34 W

Journal of a whaling voyage in the 1859 Ryff S.S. Sund Towards Rodiac

Apr 2^{1st} First part moderate. Latter part fresh breeze from N by E & squally. Steering W by N
63rd day June 13th Lat 17 41 N
L 126 28 W

Mon
Apr 2^{6th} Fresh breeze varying from N E to E N E. Steering W by N by N by W & W by W
64th day June 12th Lat 18 45 N
L 129 39 W

Tues
Apr 2^{8th} Fresh breeze from N. E. & cloudy. Steering W by N
65th day June 12th Lat 20 25 N
L 133 36 W

Wednes
Apr 2^{7th} Unsteady breeze, fresh in squalls. Varying from N by E to N E by E. Course N W by W
66th day June 10th Lat 22 12 N
L 136 15 W

Thurs
Apr 2^{8th} First part fresh breeze from N by W. Latter part strong breeze. Carried fore foot under shrou both gunwales. Cut down three studds with gaff & stove two with crane. Hove aback & took her on deck. Steering by the wind
67th day June 8th Lat 23 53 N
L 138 57 W

Friday
Apr 2^{9th} First & mid part strong winds from N. N. E Under double reef. Latter part moderate all sail. Steering N W by the wind
68th day June 8th Lat 25 40 N
L 140 41 W

Satur
Apr 3^{0th} Commenced with moderate breeze from N. N. E. Mid & Latter part light breezes from N by N. N. E. Steering by the wind
69th day June 6th Lat 27 08 N
L 142 15 W

Pacific Ocean on board Barque Courier
 359
 Towards Kodiak

1st First part light North E. breeze, on opposite
 tacks. Latter part light breeze from N.W.
 7th day Th^r 72 Lat 27. 44 N
 Lon 142. 06 W

2^d First part light breeze varying from N to
 N.W. Latter part strong breeze from N. N. E
 7th day Th^r 87 Lat 28. 52 N
 Lon 142. 35 W

3^d Moderate breeze varying from N.E. to N. N. E
 with heavy swell from N.W. Steering by the wind
 7th day Th^r 67 No obs

4th First part light breeze from E. N. E. Middle
 part from S. E. Latter part hauled gradually
 to S. S. W. Steering N. by W
 7th day Th^r 55 Lat 32 21 N
 Lon 143 53 W

5th First part strong breeze from S. W. & varying
 latter part hauled to W. N. W. Moderates &
 fair. Steering N. by W
 7th day Th^r 64 Lat 35 17 N
 Lon 143. 09 W

6th First & mid part light breeze from N. W. by W
 latter part fresh breeze from W. N. W. & cloudy
 7th day Th^r 64 Lat 37. 07 N
 Lon 142. 13 W

7th Commenced with strong breeze from S. W.
 Mid & latter part moderate gale from W. Steady
 N. by W. 7th day Th^r 54 Lat 39. 33 N
 Lon 141. 38 W

8th All these 24 hrs moderate gale from W. by N. &
 S. by E. Steering N. by W. & W
 7th day Th^r 52 Lat 41 27 N
 Lon 141 03 W

Journal of a voyage in the Pacific Ocean on the Sloop "Thetis"

1859

Monday

May 9th Strong winds varying from W to W.N.W.
& Squally. Steering S by W 1/2 W
78th day Thetis 49 Lat 42 58 N
L 140 34 W

Tuesday

May 10th First & middle part under Double reefs
Fresh squalls from W. Latter part moderate
Made all sail Lat 44 36 N
L 140 13 W

Wednesday

79th day Thetis 45
May 11th First part calm. Latter part breeze from
S.E. increases to a gale with rain. Steer-
ing S. by W 80th day Thetis 50 No obs

Thursday

May 12th Steady gale from S.E. & rainy. Steering
S. by W 1/2 S by W 1/2 W under close reefs
81st day Thetis 52 Lat by D.R. 48 45 N

Friday

May 13th First part gale abates & hauled to S. Mid-
& Latter part moderate breeze from S. with
thick fog. Sent down Fore Royal yard. Steering
S. by W 1/2 W 82nd day Thetis 53 Lat 51 50 N
L 140 12 W

Saturday

May 14th Moderate breeze from S.E. with fog first part
Mid part fresh breeze & rain Latter part
hauled to S.W. & moderates. Saw Kimbuck
Steering S. by W 1/2 W Lat by D.R. 54 05 N

Sunday

83rd Day Thetis 56
May 15th Moderate breeze from S.W. & cloudy. Saw
2 ships. Steering S. by W 1/2 W. Shortened
sail at sunset Lat 56 32 N
84th day Thetis 57 L 158 40 W
Spoke ship "Speedwell" & "Schmaroo" nothing
the season

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May 15th Commenced with fresh breeze from S.W. & foggy
Middle part light breeze from N.W. & cloudy
 Latter part Hauled to the
 85th Day Thu 45 Lat 55. 32 N
 Lon 137. 52 W

May 17th Light breeze from S.W. & cloudy. Made Cape
Edgecombe Dist 45 miles. Saw 8 ships. One
Whaling. 86th Day Thu 40 Lat 55. 57 N
 Lon 137. 35 W

May 18th Commenced with light breeze from S.E.
& cloudy 6 A.M. lowered boats for first net wh
without success. Saw 9 sails, several whaling
but none struck. Latter part stood in
within 5 miles of Cape Edgecombe & tacked
off. Wind increased to gale with rain
Heaving on Star tack
 87th day Thu 42 Off Cape Edgecombe

May 19th Commenced with gale from S.E. Latter part
moderates with thick fog. Lowered for wh
without success.
 88th day Thu 42 Off Cape Edgecombe

May 20th First part gale from S.E. Thick & rainy. Latter
part moderates. Heavy swell from N.W. & hazy
 89th day Thu 44 Off Cape Edgecombe

May 21st Strong winds from S.W. Hazy & rainy. Stood
within 8 miles of Cape Edgecombe. Spoke Barque
Architect of London. Heavy swell from
S.E. 90th day Thu 45 Off Cape Edgecombe

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Sun

May 22^d Commenced with strong breeze from S.W. with rain. Latter part light breezes & fair. Saw one it wh. Land dist 20 miles

Mon

May 23^d

91st day Th 43
All the fore light breezes from S.W. and fine weather. Saw 2 whs. Lowered twice for them. Boarded ship Wm. Petch
92^d day Th 44 Cape Edgecome dist 10 mi

Tues

May 24th

Commenced with moderate breeze from S.W. and increased to fresh gale. Lowered for it whs once
93^d day Th 44 Off Cape Edgec.

Wedn

May 25th

First part fresh gale from E.S.E. Middle & latter part light winds & calm with thick fog. Ends clear Cape Woodhouse
94th day Th 44 E.S. Dist 4 leagues

Thurs

May 26th

Light breezes from S.E. & fair. Cruising along the land. 13 sails in sight
95th day Th 45

Fri

May 27th

First part light breeze from N.W. & cloudy. Latter part light breeze from W. with rain. Lowered for 2 it whs without success
96th day Th 46 Cape Edgecome E.S.E. 20 mi

Sat

May 28th

Light breeze from W. & fine weather. Saw great number sunnysbacks. Lowered boat for them without success. Lat 57.00 N
97th day Th 47 In 155. 55 W

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Pacific Ocean on board Sargue Course

Kodiak Ground

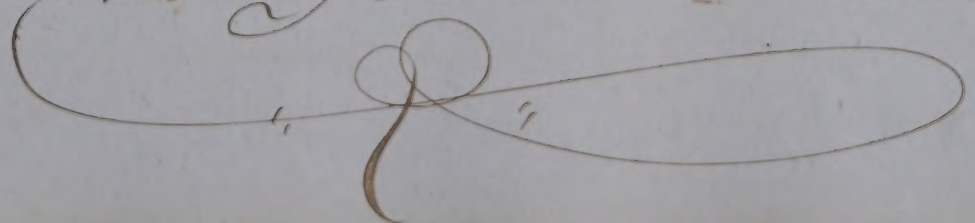
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ay 29th Moderate breeze from N.W. & fine weather
Lowered 3 boats for 2 whs at 7 AM Starboard
boat struck whale. Whale struck Starboard
boat with flukes stove & capsized. Then
ran away with fine. 6 1/2 P.M. Lowered
for another wh & galled him
98th day Th 15  Lat 55. 40 N
Land dist 8 mil

ay 30th First part fresh breeze from W. & cloudy
Lowered boats for 2 whs without success
 Latter part Moderate Starboard boat darted
at wh struck his fin & bent the iron
3 sails in sight - whaling. Lat 55 17 N
99th day  Land dist 10 to 20 mi

ay 31st First part light breeze from W. Middle part
calm. Latter part breeze from S.E. & cloudy
Lowered for whs once in company with 2
ships boats 100th day Th 16  Lat 55. 30 N
Land from 10 to 20

ay 1st Commenced with moderate breeze from S.E.
Mid part calm. Latter part light breeze from
N.W. & fair Lowered twice for whs without
success. Whs very shy. Heavy swell from W. & C.
101st Day Th 17  Lat 55. 30 N
Land dist 5 to 10

ay 2nd Moderate breeze from N.W. & fine weather
Starboard boat struck a wh & lost line
Lowered a second time without success
Bent and fore topsail Lat 55. 24
102nd day Th 18  In short off



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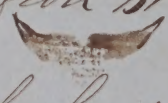
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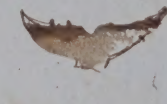
June 3rd Light breeze from N.E. & fine weather
Towed twice for whs without success
Whals very shy & winds light

103rd day June 5th  Land dist from
Sat — 10 to 20 miles

June 4th First part calm. Middle part light breeze
from W. Latter part hauled suddenly
to S.E. & hauled on fresh. Towed & darted
at wh under water To Sat 56. 30 N

104th day June 6th  Along shore

June 5th First part fresh breeze from S.E. & cloudy
Latter part light breeze from N.E. Towed
twice for whs without success

105th day June 7th  Sat 56. 17 N
15 Miles off shore

June 6th Light breeze from E. & fair. At 9 A.M. Starboard
boat struck wh. Waist boat struck & drewed
Starboard boat struck was stove & caprized
Bow boat struck & was struck back all the
boards split from stem but went along side
with her. Launched spare boat & at 6 P.M.
sunk wh. with 15 bomb lances in him.
Myself sunk by being doubled up by a surge
in the short ribs

106th day June 8th  Sat 56. 20
Ten miles from land

June 7th All these 24 hrs steady gale from S.E. & hazy
107th day No whs

June 8th Strong breeze from S.E. & hazy Mending boat
108th day Sat 56. 23 N

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Coast of Russian America

10th Fresh breeze from S.E. & cloudy. Lowered twice
10th day Th 16 Sat to 25 10

11th Moderate breeze from S.E. Struck & sunk a wh
by waist boat & lost 2 hrs
11th day Th 17 Sat Dist 20 miles

12th Commenced calm. Ended with gale from
S.E. & rain
12th day Th 18 Along shore

13th First part light air from S.E. & foggy
 Latter part fair. Saw one wh. Recd visit
 from Capⁿ of Ship Cassin. No parties I wh
 the season
13th day Th 19 Sat to 25 10
Land dist 20 miles

Commenced with fresh breeze from S.E. Steered
to N.W. Hauled too off Cape Edgecombe & was
boarded by a large canoe manned by 13
Indians. Bought fish & a deer of them
At sunset blowing a gale from S.E.
14th day Th 20 Cape Edgecombe
Saw 1 wh. dist 10 miles

15th All these 24 hrs moderate gale from S.E. & foggy
15th day Th 21 No obs

16th Light breeze from E. & cloudy. Steering to N.W.
Spoke Ship Corinthian & wh the season
16th day Th 22 No obs

17th Commenced with light breeze from S.E. & heavy
lowered for wh without success. Bought a whale
of head of ship Corinthian.
17th day Th 23 No obs

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1859

Fri

June 1st All these 21. E. moderate breeze from S.E. and cloudy. Steering to sea first part - Latter part to sea. No obs.

Sat

117th day June 51

June 1st Light breeze from E. & fair. Steering to sea. Cape Fairweather in sight dist 75 miles

118th day June 52

Lat 58. 05 N

Lon 139. 40 W

Sun

June 1st Light breeze from sea & fine weather. Steering to S.E. Saw Mt. Fairweather a distance of 110 miles

119th day June 52

Lat 57. 15 N

Lon 137. 15 W

Mon

June 2nd Commenced calm. Ended with light breeze from S.E. Said nothing

120th day June 51

Lat 56. 35 N

Lon 133. 18 W

Tue

June 2nd Light breezes from S.E. first part. Latter part hauled to S.E. & hazy. Made land

121st day June 54

Lat 55. 10 N

Land dist 30 miles

Wednes

June 2nd Light variable winds & cloudy first & middle part. Latter part moderate breeze from S.E. with rain. Said 2 who going fast. At 12 M. Kept away W.P.W. Cape Annans

122nd day June 55

Bearing E dist 12

Thurs

June 2nd

Moderate breeze from sea & changeable. Lowered for ice without success. Steady W. W.

123rd day June 56

Lat 55. 10 N

Lon 138. 40 W

Fri

June 2nd

Light breezes varying from S.E. to S.W. Spot ship Ocean. Clark had Haven 1 mile. Steady N.W.

124th day

Lat 53. 10 N

Lon 138. 30 W

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Podiac Ground

1859
Sun
July 3rd

First part light breeze from S.E. Steered
by W. spoke ship Ocean. Latter part
breeze light from E. Stood into entrance
of Cooks Inlet. Saw nothing & stood to E.S.E.
At 8 P.M. lowered for it, without
success. Came aboard at 9 1/2

Mon
July
4th

133rd Day Cape Horn or
Bearine. P.M. 1/4 N

Commenced calm. Latter part light
breeze from S.E. & fair. Boarded ship
Ocean & went on a steamboat ex-
pou-
rion

Tue

134th Day

Cape Horn or
Bearine. P.M. 1/4 N

July 5th

Sight breeze from S.E. & cloudy. Working P
135th Day Th to Lat 68. 00 N

Wed

July 6th

Sight breeze from S.E. & very smooth. Saw
plenty humpbacks

136th Day Th to 5. Off Cape Grenville

Thurs

July 7th

Moderate breeze from S.W. & fair. At 9 A.M.
Starboard boat struck it. Iron after
first iron drew out & cut short warp with
went to windward

137th Day Th to Cape Barnabas Dist 10 N

Friday

July 8th

Moderate breeze from S.W. & fair. Stood in
to the land at Cape Barnabas. Found water

138th Day Th to

Lat 67 1/4 N

Sat

July 9th

All these 21 hrs strong breeze from S.W.
& thick fog

39th day

Lat 67 2 1/2 N
S. ch

on Grand Barque Course of New Bedford
Zodiac Ground

1859

July 10th Strong breeze from SW & thick fog.
140th Day

July 11th Double reef breeze from W & hazy
141st Day Thur 51 Lat 55 1/2 N

July 12th Commenced with gale from S. S. W. Ended
with fresh breeze from W. S. W. Thick fog
142nd Day Thur 51 Lat 54 1/2 N

July 13th Strong breezes from SW & thick fog
143rd Day Thur 50 Lat 54 N

July 14th Moderate breeze from S. W. First part foggy
latter cloudy & hazy
144th Day Thur 50 Lat 54 1/2 N
Lon 151 1/2 W

July 15th Strong winds from S. W. & foggy. No obs
145th Day Thur 50 Lat 55 1/2 N
Lon 152 1/2 W

July 16th Fresh breeze from W and fair heavy swell from
SW
146th Day Thur 47 Lat 53 1/2 N
Lon 153 1/2 W

July 17th Moderate breeze from W & hazy. Bent head
M Top & Sail
147th Day Thur 48 Lat 52 1/2 N
Lon 154 1/2 W

July 18th First part light breeze from S. W. Mid part
& thick fog. Latter part light air from S. W. & cloudy
148th Day Thur 50 Lat 53 1/2 N
Lon 154 1/2 W

July 19th Light breeze from SW & cloudy. Steering
W. S. W.
149th Day Thur 50 Lat 53 1/2 N
Lon 156 1/2 W

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1859

Wednesday
July 2nd

Light breeze from N. N. W. & cloudy

Steering W by S. L. S.

Lat 53 22

Thursday

July 2nd

Commenced with light breeze from N. N. W. Middle part calm. Latter part strong breeze from S. S. E. with rain.

150th Day

Lat 159 35

Friday

July 2nd

First & middle part moderate gale from S. E. & rain. Latter part hauled gradually to N. N. E. & cleared away. Steering to W. by S.

Made 1st part Fox Is at 4 P. M.

Lat 53 41 N

151st Day

Long 166 15 W

Saturday

July 23rd

First part light breeze from N. N. W. Latter part calm & hazy

152nd Day

Lat 53

Sunday

July 24th

Moderate breeze from S. E. foggy & raining

153rd Day

Lat 53

Monday

July 25th

Light breeze from S. E. rain & fog

154th Day

Lat 53

Tuesday

July 26th

First part strong breeze from S. W. & thick fog. Latter part clear. Unalakshka Island dist. 40 miles. Steered in shore

155th Day

Lat 53 11 N

Wednesday

July 27th

Light variable airs & calms. Off Unalakshka I. Steering towards Amminak Is.

156th Day

Lat 55

Bearing. True dist. 25

Pacific Ocean on board barque Courier
Off Cumminak Is.

1859
Thurs
July 28th Light breeze & foggy. Saw top of land once
158th Day To obs.

Fri
July 29th Fresh breeze from N.W. & fair. Steering for S.W. of
Cumminak. Land in sight both sides. Spoke
ship *Beauf Morgan* & *London* 5 m. Latter part wind
hauled to S.W. & cloudy
159th Day To do
Lat 53.45 N
Lon 163.38 W

Sat
July 30th First part light breeze from S.W. & rainy. Mid
part hauled to S.E. & increased to moderate
gale. Latter part moderates & fair Wind N.W.
160th Day To do Off Cumminak
Lat 54.07 N
Lon 163.43 W

Sun
July 31st Commenced with moderate gale from N.E. & fair
to A.M. Steered off N.E. Latter part wind hauled to
S. & moderates. Steering E by S Off Cumminak Island
161st Day To do
Lat 54.21 N
Lon 163.18 W

Mon
Aug 1st First part moderate gale from S.E. & rain
mid part moderates. Latter part gale & rain
162nd Day To do
To obs.

Tues
Aug 2nd All these 24 hrs gale from S.S.W. to W.S.W.
163rd Day To do
To obs.

Wed
Aug 3rd Gale abates. Latter part hauled to W. & fair
Steering to S.E. 164th Day To do
Lat 52.48 N
Lon 169.58 W

Thurs
Aug 4th Storm variable winds with fog & rain
Bound off soon. Can't stand this much
longer 165th Day To do
To obs.

Journal of a whaling voyage in the Towards Honolulu

1859

- Fri
Aug 5th First part strong breeze from Wnd & cloudy
Latter part moderates. Steering S.P.E
166th Day Thur 49 Lat 51 16 N
Lon 158 30 W
- Sat
Aug 6th Gale from S.W. & raining. Ship on opposite tack
167th Day Thur 54 No obs
- Sun
Aug 7th First part moderates & hauled to N.W. Latter
part light breeze N & cloudy. Steering S. true
168th Day Thur 53 Lat 49. 12 N
Lon 159. 09 W
- Mon
Aug 8th Light breeze from S.W. & foggy. Steering S true
169th Day Thur 53 No obs
- Tues
Aug 9th Moderate breeze from S.P.W. & foggy. By the time
170th Day Thur 55 No obs
- Wens
Aug 10th Light breeze from S by W & thick fog
171st Day Thur 50 No obs
- Thurs
Aug 11th Light breeze from S.W. First part foggy
Latter part fair 172 Day Thur 64 Lat 43 23 N
Lon 155. 14 W
- Fri
Aug 12th Commenced with light breeze from S.W.
& hauled gradually to N.W. and fair
173rd Day Thur 65 Lat 42 20 N
Lon 155 00 W
- Sat
Aug 13th Light breeze from S.W. hauling gradually
to E by S 174th Day Thur 67 Lat 41 00 N
Lon 155. 37 W
- Sun
Aug 14th Light breezes varying from E.S.E. to S.P.E with
light rain squalls.
175th Day Thur 70 Lat 39. 15 N
Lon 156. 42 W

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- 15th Light breeze varying from E to S. P. E. & fair
176th Day Th. 73 Lat-38 14 N
Lon 157 26 W
- 16th Light breeze from S. P. E. Bent old M. S. sail
177th Day Th. 73 Lat-37 32 N
Lon 158 29 W
- 17th Light breeze from S. P. E. & fair. Steer by the wind
178th Day Th. 75 Lat-36 28 N
Lon 159 38 W
- 18th Light airs from E. P. E. to S. Steering by the wind
179th Day Th. 78 Lat-35 34 N
Lon 160 10 W
- 19th Light breeze from S. P. E. & fair. By the wind
180th Day Th. 79 Lat-34 38 N
Lon 158 42 W
- 20th Light breeze from S. P. W. & fair. Wet our oil.
181st Day Th. 78 Lat-33 17 N
Lon 157 51 W
- 21st First & latter part calm. Mid. part light breeze S. P. E.
182nd Day Th. 79 Lat-32 55 N
Lon 157 16 W
- 22nd First & middle part calm. Latter light breeze
from N. E. Steady S. P. W. 183rd Day Th. 83 Lat-32 35 N
Lon by lunar 156.57 Lon 157 24 W
- 23rd Light breeze varying from E to N. E. Steady S. P. W.
184th Day Th. 78 Lat-31 16 N
Lon 157 27 W
- 24th Commenced with light breeze. Mid & latter part
fresh breeze from E. Steady S. P. W. Lat-28 37 N
185th Day Th. 78 Lon 157 23 W
- 25th Fresh breeze from E. S. E. & some squalls.
Steering S. P. W. Lat-26 36 N
186th Day Th. 79 Lon 157 24 W

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Towards Society Islands

1359

Fri

Aug 26th Fresh breeze from E. S. E. & fair. Steering S.
 To Oahu Dist 73 miles Lat 12. 43 N
 Long 157. 19 W

Sat

Aug 27th Fresh trades. Touched at Honolulu Landed
 at 1. A. M. Sent off 20 lbs Potatoes. 3 casks bread
 & stores. 8 o'clock steered S by E. with full breeze
 187th Day Thru 81°

Sun

Aug 28th Fresh breeze first & mid part. Latter part
 light from E. Steering a good full
 188th Day Honolulu
 189th Day Lat 19. 12 N
 Long 157. 27

Mon

Aug 29th First part moderate. Latter part fresh breeze
 from S. E. 190th Day Thru 86

Tues

Aug 30th Fresh breeze from E by S & cloudy by the am
 191th Day Thru 85

Wednes

Aug 31st Fresh breeze varying from E N E to E with
 light squalls
 192nd Day Thru 83

Thurs

Sept 1st Moderate breeze from E & E by N. Light squalls
 193rd Day Thru 85

Fri

Sept 2nd Strong breeze varying from S W to S E squalls
 & rainy. On both tacks
 194th Day Thru 84

Sat

Sept 3rd Wind varying from E N E to S E. Rain
 & squalls
 195th Day Thru 87

Sun

Sept 4th Commenced with light breeze from E N E. Wind
 part calm & raining Latter part fresh breeze
 from S by E 196th Day Thru 85

Journal of a whaling voyage in the Towards Society Is.

1859
Thurs

Sept 15th Light breeze from E.S.E. Steering by the wind
2nd Day Thurs 86 Lat 8 43 S
Lon 154 14 W

Fri

Sept 16th Moderate breeze from E with few light squalls
2nd Day Thurs 86 Lat 11 00 S
Lon 153 47 W

Sat

Sept 17th Fresh breeze from E.S.E. Steering by the wind
2nd Day Thurs 85 Lat 12 47 S
Lon 156 54 W

Sun

Sept 18th Strong breeze from E.S.E. with heavy swell
from S. on opposite tacks Lat 13 36 S
2nd Day Thurs 85 Lon 153 56 W

Mon

Sept 19th First part fresh breeze from S.E. Latter part
strong breeze with rain squalls. On East
tack under double reefs Lat 12 43 S
2nd Day Thurs 83 Lon 152 23 W

Tues

Sept 20th Commenced with squalls from E.S.E. with
rain. Mid part light breeze from S. Latter
part moderate from E.S.E. with some squalls
2nd Day Thurs 86 Lat 12 31 S
Lon by lunar 151 39 W or 151 59 W

Wed

Sept 21st First to mid part fresh breeze from E.S.E.
with heavy swell from S. Latter part
light breeze from S.E. by E Lat 11 00 S
2nd Day Thurs 86 Lon 152 25 W

Thurs

Sept 22nd Commenced with moderate breeze from
E.S.E. Mid part from S.E. by E. Latter
part from E.S.E. Lat 15 26 S
2nd Day Thurs 83 Lon 152 35 W

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Pacific Ocean on Board Sloop Commerce

Raiatea, Society Is.

1859
Thurs
1st 23rd Fresh breeze from E. N. E with occasional squalls. At 11 A.M. made Manua Is. Passed to windward & made Bolobola Is off weather beam at daylight. Beating up through the day. At 5 P.M. 21st Day Bolobola bears S. by E 10 miles
1st 24th Sunset off the town on Bolobola. Tacked to S.E. bound to Raiatea. 12 o'clock M. hove too off the port for a Pilot. Took Pilot & came to anchor at 2 P.M. 21st day

At Raiatea discharged Silo Kanaka native of Suvaheine. Got wood water & oranges. Benj Cummings & Alfonso Bostos deserted. Sailed at 6 A.M. on bound to mangia for game

1st & middle part light breeze from N.E. Latter part calm. Steady S.W.
1st Day Jan 27th Lat 17 28 S
L 162 43 W

1st & middle part variable winds, raining & squally. Latter part moderate breeze from S.E. & Cloudy. Steady S.W.
2nd Day Jan 28th Lat obs

All these 24 hrs fresh breeze from S.E. & cloudy. Split Mainsail & Gaff topsail. Steady S.W.
3rd day Jan 29th Lat 19 26 S

Fresh breeze from S.E. & cloudy. L 155 56 W
At 4 P.M. made Maouti Is. Tacked to E to weather it. Daylight bearing N.W. 1/4 W 1/2 N dist. Bent new Gaff topsail Lat 21 15 S
4th Day Jan 30th L 158 11 W

Journal of a whaling voyage in the 1859 Mangia towards New Zealand

Tues
 Oct 11th Touched off & on at Mangia for leeward
 At 7 P.M. Steered S. S. W. (Shipped two
 Manakas) 5th Day Th 16 Lat
 Mangia
 Wednes
 Oct 12th All these 24 hrs strong breeze from S.E.
 Steering S. S. W. Lat 23. 24 S
 Thurs
 Oct 13th Strong breeze from S.E. & P.E. Steering
 S. S. W. 7th Day Th 16 Lat 25 16 S
 Fri
 Oct 14th Moderate breeze from E. & fair. Mended
 mainsail. Steering S. W. Lat 27. 28 S
 Sat
 Oct 15th Light variable winds and fair. Bent
 mainsail. Steering S. W. Lat 28 45 S
 Sun
 Oct 16th First & mid part moderate breeze from
 W. & cloudy latter part hailed much
 to S.E. with some rain. Steering S. W.
 16th day Th 16 Lat 28 30 40 S
 Mon
 Oct 17th Moderate breeze from S. S. E. and fair
 11th Day Th 16 Lat 32 12 S
 Tues
 Oct 18th Light breezes from S.E. & cloudy. Saw Finback
 11th Day Th 16 Lat 33. 15 S
 Wednes
 Oct 19th Moderate variable winds. Saw nothing
 12th Day Th 16 Lat 34. 00 S
 Thurs
 Oct 20th Moderate breeze from the N. & fine
 weather. Steering N. W. Lat 33. 46 S
 13th Day Th 16 Lat 38. 08 S

Pacific Ocean on board Sloop Courier

New Zealand Ground

1859
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- 19th Moderate breeze from S.W. & clouds
14th Day Th^{ur} 16 Sat 35.55 S
L 169.05
- 20th First part strong winds from S.W. in squalls with Thunder Lightning & rain
 Latter part moderate from S.E.
15th Day Th^{ur} 17 Sat 34 15 S
L 168.54 W
- 21st Strong winds from S.W. & rainy first part
 Latter part fair
16th Day Th^{ur} 18 Sat 34 55 S
L 167.33 W
- 22nd All these 24 hrs calm
17th Day Th^{ur} 19 Sat 35.05 S
L 167.00
- 23rd Calm Calm Calm
18th Day Th^{ur} 20 Sat 35 15 S
L 167.01 W
- 24th Moderate breeze from S.E. & fair.
19th Day Th^{ur} 21 Sat 36 00 S
L 165.00 W
- 25th Strong breeze from S.E. & fair.
20th Day Th^{ur} 22 Sat 36 35 S
L 165 15 W
- 26th Moderate Gale from S.E. Under Double Reef
21st Day Th^{ur} 23 Sat 36 25 S
L 164 42 W
- 27th Double reefed Topsails. Wind from S by W
22nd Day Th^{ur} 24 Sat 35 30 S
L 163 25 W
- 28th First part variable & rainy. Latter part light breeze from S.W. & fair. Strong S.E.
23rd Day Th^{ur} 25 Sat 35 30 S
L 162 56 W

Journal of a whaling voyage in the New Zealand grampus

1859
Mon

Oct 31st Light breeze from South & cloudy
2nd Day Thur 13 Lat 36. 06 S
Long 161. 11 W

Tues

Nov 1st Moderate breeze from S P W & cloudy
1st Day Thur 11 Lat 35 58 S
Long 160 21 W

Wednes

Nov 2nd Commenced with moderate breeze
from S. Mid & latter part calm
2nd Day Thur 10 Lat 35 45 S
Long 161 9 W

Thurs

Nov 3rd First part moderate breeze from S.E.
Latter part from E by S under double reef
3rd Day Thur 7 Lat 37 45 S
Long 163 8 W

Frid

Nov 4th Light air from S. & calm. Saw nothing
4th Day Thur 6 Lat 38 38 N
Long 162 55 W

Sat

Nov 5th Light air varying from S to S.E. & cloudy
5th Day Thur 4 Lat 38 45 S
Long 162 16 W

Sun

Nov 6th First & mid part calm. Latter light breeze from
S. 6th Day Thur 5 Lat 38 54 S
No obs

Mon

Nov 7th Gale from N.W. Thick & rainy
7th Day Thur 6 No obs

Tues

Nov 8th All there 2 hrs light breeze from N.W. & foggy
8th Day Thur 7 Lat 42 40 S
Long 163 30 W

Wednes

Nov 9th Moderate breeze from N.W. First part
foggy. Latter fair. Steaming to S.
9th Day Thur 58 Lat 42 10 S
Long 163 30 W

Pacific Ocean on board barque Colum
Bound Eastward

34th Day Thur 50
Moderate breeze from ^{mod} with fog first part
 Latter part fair Steering S.E. Lat 42 16 S
 Lon 150 28 W

35th Day Thur 50
Light breezes from ^{mod} to calms. Steering S.E.
 Lat 43 17 S
 Lon 150 55 W

36th Day Thur 51
First part light breeze from N.E. & cloudy.
 Latter part strong wind thick & rainy Steering S.E.
 Lat 45 10 Lat 45 55 S
 Lon 150 00 Lon 159 00 W

37th Day Thur 51
Commenced with moderate gale from N.E.
 & rainy. Mid & latter part moderate from
 N by W & hazy. Set studding sails steering E
 Lat 46 35 S
 Lon 159 00 W

38th Day Thur 51
First & middle part light breeze from N.W. &
 foggy. Latter part hauled to N.E. Cloudy
 Steering E Lat 47 16 S
 Lon 156 20 W

39th Day Thur 53
Light breeze varying from N by E to E. N.E.
 with fog & some rain. Steering by the wind
 Lat 47 52 S
 Lon 153 00 W

40th Day Thur 51
Fresh breeze from ^{mod} & foggy. Steering E by N
 Lat 48 16 S
 Lon 147 55 W

41st Day Thur 49
Fresh breeze from N by W & thick fog. Steering E by N
 Lat 48 22 S
 Lon 143 11 W

42nd Day Thur 49
Moderate breeze from N.W. & cloudy. Steering
 E by N Lat 48 03 S
 Lon 139 14 W

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1859

Sat

Nov 19th

Towards San Fernando

Light breeze varying from N. to WNW
Steering E by N P

15th Day This mo Lat 48 57 S
Ln 136 55 W

Sund

Nov 20th

Commenced with fresh breeze from N.N.E

& increased to moderate gale, with rain
 Latter part hauled to NW by W fresh gale

& squally. Steering E by N & E by N P
16th Day This mo Lat 48 17 S
Ln 131 45 W

Mon

Nov 21st

Commenced with a gale from S.W. &
squalls. Middle part increases. Rolled ^{up} ~~down~~

boat under carried away Savel & lost boat
carried away the fore topsail & parted lead

rope to main. ^{huffed to the wind under storm sails} Latter part moderates &
hauled to S. Heavy sea running. Bent new

fore topsail. Steering E by E Lat 47 51 S
45th Day This mo Ln 128 37 W

Tues

Nov 22^d

Fresh breeze from S.E. by S cloudy. Bent
new main topsail. & took in Bow boat

Steering by the wind Lat 47 17 S
46th Day This mo Ln 125 02 W

Wednes

Nov 23^d

Fresh breeze from S.P.E & cloudy. Steering E
by S

47th Day This mo Lat 46 56 S
Ln 120 56 W

Thurs

Nov 24th

Moderate breeze from S.P.E First to middle
part. Latter part hauled to S.W. Steering E

by S 48th Day This mo Lat 46 51 S
Ln 117 25 W

Frída

Nov 25th

Strong breeze from S.W. & raining. Steer E by N
49th Day This mo Lat 47 28 S
Ln 118 39 W

in the Pacific Ocean on board Courier
Towards Masafuera Ground

859
2nd Moderate breeze from S.P.W. & cloudy
Steering S.E.
50th Day Thur 49th
Lat 47 02 S
Lon 108 41 W

2nd First & middle part moderate breeze from S.W.
& cloudy. Latter part hauled to W. Steering S.E. & N.
51st Day Thur 52
Lat 45 46 S
Lon 105 36 W

2nd Fresh unsteady breeze from W.P.W. & cloudy
Steering S.E. & N.
52nd Day Thur 55
Lat 43 42 S
Lon 102 27 W

2nd Strong breeze from W.P.W. clear & cloudy. Steering
S.W.
53rd Day Thur 57
Lat 41 50 S
Lon 98 48 W

3rd First & middle part fresh. Latter part moderate
breeze from W. & S. & cloudy. Steering S.W.
54th Day Thur 58
Lat 39 36 S
Lon 96 14 W

4th Light breeze from W.P.W. & fair. Put down board
A new Waist boat or cranes. Steering S.W.
55th Day Thur 59th
Lat 38 08 S
Lon 94 16 W

2nd First & mid part light breeze from W. & W.P.W.
Latter part calm. Steering S.W.
56th Day Thur 60th
Lat 36 45 S
Lon 93 04 W

5th Light variable winds & calms. On both tacks
57th Day Thur 61st
Lat 36 12 S
Lon 92 02 W

4th First & mid part light air from W.P.W. Latter part
calm
58th Day Thur 62nd
Lat 35 29 S
Lon 90 58 W

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West of Masafuera

1859

Mon

Dec 5th Tint to middle part calm latter part light breeze from N. N. W. & fair Lat 35 08 S
54th Day This Mo Lon 89 54 W

Tues

Dec 6th Moderate breeze from N. N. W. & fair
Shortened sail to cruise Lat 36 08 S
55th Day This Mo Lon 88 06 W

Wednes

Dec 7th Tint part moderate breeze from N. W.
Latter part double reef breeze from N. N. W.
Ends fair wind P. M. Lat 36 06 S
56th Day This Mo Lon 86 12 W

Thurs

Dec 8th Moderate breeze from W. S. W. & fair
12th Day This Mo Lat 32 52 S
Lon 88 32 W

Frid

Dec 9th Strong breeze from W. S. W. & generally
fair but backs 13th Day 55th Lat 33 00 S
Lon 86 27 W

Sat

Dec 10th All these 24 hrs calm & clear
14th Day This Mo Lat 33 37 S
Lon 86 34 W

Sun

Dec 11th Tint part calm & latter part light breeze
from N. N. W. & fair Steady W Lat 36 17 S
15th Day This Mo Lon 87 06 W

Mon

Dec 12th Light breeze from N. W. & fine weather
16th Day This Mo Lat 36 14 S
Lon 88 34 W

Tues

Dec 13th Light air & calms with some rain. Cut
down m. topsail 17th Day This Mo No obs.

Wednes

Dec 14th Light breeze from W. & fair, Shooked
Broad Puffs 18th Day This Mo Lat 36 00 S
Lon 88 51 W

on board Sargue Courier of New Bedford

West of Marafuca

Dec 15th Light breeze from N.W. & fine weather. Steady
6th Day Thu 14th Lat 33 10 S
L 88 20 W

Dec 16th Light breeze from N.W. & fine weather Steady E. & S
7th Day Thu 15th Lat 33 15 S
L 87 17 W

Dec 17th Light breeze from N. N.W. & fair Steady E.
8th Day Thu 16th Lat 33 21 S
L 86 18 W

Dec 18th Moderate breeze from N.W. and fair Steady E.
Saw 1 sail. Bound South
9th Day Thu 17th Lat 33 31 S
L 86 17 W

Dec 19th Moderate breeze from N.W. with rain squalls
Moon saw school of sperm whales. Starboard boat struck
one & was carried down by force of line. Main
boat picked her up. Starboard boat struck
& captured whale. Took him to ship & cut
him in 10th Day Thu 18th Lat 33 24 S
L 82 15 W

Dec 20th Light breeze from N.W. & fair commenced
boiling. Saw a sail bound South
11th Day Thu 19th Lat 33 17 S
L 82 28 W

Dec 21st Moderate breeze from S.W. & fair. Finished boiling
12th Day Thu 20th Lat 33 08 S
L 82 30 W

Dec 22nd Light breeze from S.E. first part. Latter part calm
13th Day Thu 21st Lat 33 32 S
L 82 32 W

Dec 23rd Light breeze from S.E. & fair
14th Day Thu 22nd Lat 33 21 S
L 83 27 W

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1859.

Dec 2th Light breeze from E S E & fair. Saw nothing
78th Day "Th 70" Lat 33 12 S
Lon 82 57 W

Mon
Dec 2⁵ Light breezes from N E & calm
79th Day "Th 73" Lat 33 25 S
Lon 82 23 W

Tues
Dec 2⁶ Light variable winds & fine weather
80th Day "Th 73" Lat 33 35 S
82 13 Lon 83 28 W

Dec 2⁷ Light breeze hauling from S to E S E
fair. Saw a sail
81st Day "Th 74" Lat 33 43 S
Lon 81 22 W

Wednes
Dec 2⁸ Light breeze from N E & calm. Putting Rig
82nd Day "Th 81" Lat 33 46 S
Lon 80 59 W

Thurs
Dec 2⁹ Light breeze from W & fair. Made Island
Marafuera at Daylight. At 1 P M Dist 48
83rd Day "Th 80" Lat 33 47 S
Lon 81 15 W

Frid
Dec 3⁰ Moderate breeze from W & fair. Stowed 30 bbls
84th Day "Th 76" Lat 32 45 S
Lon 81 02 W

Sat
Dec 3¹ Light air from S & calm
85th Day "Th 80" Lat 32 41 S
Lon 81 16 W

"Yes, the Bear is growing old,
And his eye is pale and bleared;
Death, with frosty hand and cold,
Plucks the old man by the beard
Lonely—Lonely!"
Songfellow

Pacific Ocean on board Surque Courier

West of Masafuera

- 8th Day ^{Wed} Light breeze from S.E. to fair. Saw a ship
 86th Day ^{Thurs} 7th Lat 32 21 S
 L 82 06 W
 Saw 3 ships at 5 PM to windward
 Chased till dark without success
- 9th Day ^{Thurs} 8th Moderate breeze from S.E. to fair. Saw 3 ships
 87th Day ^{Thurs} 7th Lat 32 35 S
 L 81 51 W
- 10th Day ^{Thurs} 9th Fresh breeze from S.E. to fair. Saw some supposed
 5 miles to windward going fast. Took
 ship up but soon lost sight of them
 88th Day ^{Thurs} 10th Lat 32 55 S
 L 81 45 W
- 11th Day ^{Thurs} 10th Moderate breeze from S.E. to fine weather
 89th Day ^{Thurs} 10th Lat 32 59 S
 L 82 03 W
- 12th Day ^{Thurs} 11th Light breeze from S.E. to fair. Masafuera
 in sight
 90th Day ^{Thurs} 11th Lat 33 12 S
 L 81 35 W
- 13th Day ^{Thurs} 12th Moderate breeze from S.E. to fair. Steady
 91th Day ^{Thurs} 12th Lat 32 58 S
 L 81 32 W
- 14th Day ^{Thurs} 13th Fresh breeze from S.E. and fine weather
 92th Day ^{Thurs} 13th Lat 32 37 S
 L 81 30 W
- 15th Day ^{Thurs} 14th Strong breeze from S.E. to cloudy
 93th Day ^{Thurs} 14th Lat 32 37 S
 L 81 39 W
- 16th Day ^{Thurs} 15th First part strong breeze from S.E. Latter
 part moderate from S.E. W
 94th Day ^{Thurs} 15th Lat 32 58 S
 L 82 26 W

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West of Masafuera

1861

Tues

Jan 10th

Light southerly winds & fair

95th Day Jan 7th Lat 32 40 S.

Wednes

Jan 11th

First part calm. Latter part moderate

breeze from S. S. E. Saw a whaler bound there

96th Day Jan 7th Lat 32 52 S

Thurs

Jan 12th

Light breezes from S. S. E. & fair. Capt

2 Blackfish. 97th Day Jan 7th Lat 32 55 S

Fridg

Jan 13th

First part calm. Latter part light

breeze from S. S. W. Made Masafuera

98th Day Jan 7th Lat 33 05 S

Sat

Jan 14th

First part moderate. Latter part double reef

gale from S. E. 99th Day Jan 7th Masafuera beach

Sun

Jan 15th

Moderate gale from S. E. all these 2 hrs

100th Day Jan 8th Masafuera S. E.

Mon

Jan 16th

Continued to blow from S. E. all day

101st Day Jan 8th Masafuera P. E.

Tues

Jan 17th

Strong winds from S. E. And 2 whalers there

Steering W. 102nd Day Jan 12 Masafuera S. E.

Wednes

Jan 18th

Moderates to a fresh breeze from S. E. Steered

W. S. 103rd Day Jan 12 Lat 33 24 S

Thurs

Jan 19th

Fresh breeze from S. E. & cloudy

104th Day Jan 12 Lat 33 44 S

Lat 33 10 W.

Near on Board Barque Courier West of Marafuera

20th Light airs & calms. Dipping head rigging
 10⁵th Day Thu 75 Lat 32 12 S
 Lon 83 49 W

21st Light breezes from Wnd & fair. Mended F. S. Lk
 10⁶th Day Thu 76 Lat 33 30 S
 Lon 83 42 W

22nd Light breezes from S. E. & fine weather
 10⁷th Day Thur 76 Lat 33 02 S
 Lon 83 31 W

23rd Light breeze varying from N. E. to W. & fair
 10⁸th Day S Thur 76 Lat 32 40 S
 Lon 83 00 W

24th Light breeze breeze from Wnd & fair. Steer N. by E
 Saw a whaler 10⁹th Day Thu 76 Lat 32 20 S
 Lon 82 42 W

25th Moderate breeze from S and fine weather
 11⁰th Day Thu 76 Lat 32 16 S
 Lon 82 01 W

26th First part fresh breeze from S. E. Latter Moderate
 11¹th Day Thu 76 Lat 32 50 S
 Lon 82 49 W

27th First part calm Latter part light breeze from S. E.
 11²th Day Thu 76 Lat 32 50 S
 Lon 83 19 W

28th Moderate breeze from S. E. Saw 3 sails
 11³th Day Thu 76 Lat 32 20 S
 Lon 81 48 W

29th First part fresh breeze from S. E. Latter Moderate
 11⁴th Day Thu 77 Lat 32 22 S
 Lon 81 22 W

30th All the 24 hrs calm. Put down main top
 Gull sail & preserved with rigging
 11⁵th Day Thu 82 Lat 32 10 S
 Lon 81 08 W

Journal of a whaling voyage in the Pacific *Masafuera*

1860
Tues
Jan 31st First & middle part calm. Latter part
 light breeze from S.E. Lat 32 12 P
 115th Day *Thurs 78* L 8 15 W

Wedn
Feb 1st Light variable winds & calms. Struck
 within top mast & took off cross-trees
 117th Day *Thurs 80* Lat 32 13 P
 L 81 32 W

Thurs
Feb 2^d First part light breeze from S.W. Latter part
 moderate from W.W.S. Daylight made
 Masafuera Dist 80 miles Lat 33 01 S
 118th Day *Thurs 78* L 80 49 W

Fri
Feb 3^d Strong breeze from W. Lowered for black fish
 without success. Laid 2 tails
 119th Day *Thurs 75* of Masafuera

Sat
Feb 4th Fresh breeze from S.E. and fair
 120th Day *Thurs 72* Masafuera bearing
 W Dist 15 miles

Sund
Feb 5th Light breeze from S. & fair. Steering S.E. & E
 121st Day *Thurs 75* Lat 34 25 S
 L 79 31 W

Mon
Feb 6th Moderate breeze from W. Steering S.E. & E
 122^d Day *Thurs 76* Lat 35 24 S
 L 77 55 W

Tues
Feb 7th First part fresh breeze from W.W. Latter part
 increases to gale with rain. Hove to Lat 36 36 P
 123^d Day *Thurs 72* L 76 47 W

Wed
Feb 8th Commenced moderate. Middle part gale
 from W. under close reef. ends moderate
 124th Day *Thurs 62* Lat 36 47 S
 L 77 09 W

on board Sargue Bourse of the Bedford
Yellow water reef

- 12th Fresh breeze from Wnd with occasional squalls
Saw a Barge & sch 12th Day 7th 15 Lat 36 18 S
L 76 01 W
- 13th All these 24 hrs light wind & calm
12th Day 7th 16 Lat 36 24 S
L 75 55 W
- 14th Commenced with moderate breeze from N^W
Ends moderate gale 12th Day 7th 18 Lat 36 53 S
L 76 19 W
- 15th Moderate breeze from Wnd & S^W. Saw a whale
Steering S^W 12th Day 7th 19 Lat 37 01 S
L 76 32 W
- 16th Light breeze from End steering to N^W
12th Day 7th 19 Lat 37 30 S
L 76 37 W
- 17th Fresh breeze from S.E. & fair. Steering N.E. Exchanged
signals with ship lance 12th Day 7th 18 Lat 37 43 S
L 76 10 W
- 18th Moderate breeze from S^W & fair. Steering N.E.
12th Day 7th 18 Lat 37 56 S
L 76 43 W
- 19th Light breeze from S^W & fair. Land in sight
all day. Cape Narraganset S.E. Dist 30 miles
13th Day 7th 18 Lat 37 23 S
- 20th First part calm latter fresh breeze from S^W
13th Day 7th 18 Lat 37 16 S
L 76 49 W
- 21st All these 24 hrs gale from S^W & fair
13th Day 7th 18 Lat 37 48 S
L 76 07 W
- 22nd Continues to blow a gale from S^W
13th Day 7th 18 Lat 37 34 S
L 75 18 W

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Off Rio Manu

1860
 Mon
 Feb 20th Gale from S. P. E. Ship under close reef & A
 topsail. 134th Day Thurs 5 Sat 34 03 P
 L 76 24 W

Tues
 Feb 21st Continues to blow from S. P. E
 135th Day Thurs 6 Sat 33 57 P
 L 77 07 W

Wednes
 Feb 22^d Gale continues. Blow Blow Blow
 136th Day Thurs 8 Sat 33 12 P
 L 77 55 W

Thurs
 Feb 23^d First part still blowing fresh. Latter part
 abates. Set double reefs Sat 33 36 P
 L 78 02 W

Fri
 Feb 24th First part strong breeze from S. P. E. Latter
 part moderate 138th Day Thurs 10 Sat 33 25 P
 L 76 52 W

Sat
 Feb 25th First part strong breeze from S. P. E. Latter
 part moderate & gale Sat 33 41 P
 L 76 54 W

Sun
 Feb 26th All these 24 hrs moderate gale from S. P. E
 140th Day Thurs 14 Sat 33 41 P
 L 73 52 W

Mon
 Feb 27th Commenced with moderate gale. Latter part
 moderate breeze from S. P. E. Made land
 141st Day Thurs 15 Sat 34 20 P
 L 72 26 W

Tues
 Feb 28th First part breeze on to moderate gale from S. P. E
 Latter part light breeze and dist 12 miles
 142^d Day Thurs 16 Sat 34 52 P
 L 72 25 W

Wednes
 Feb 29th First & middle part calm. Latter part
 light breeze from S. P. E. and dist to the
 143^d Day Thurs 17 Sat 35 08 P
 L 72 25 W

on on board barge Courier & Bed

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Takahano Chile

1st. First part calm. Latter part light breeze
from S S W. Off Maule Lat 35 12 S
144th Day 3m 43 L 75 14 W

2nd. Light variable airs and calms. Saw a barge
145th Day 3m 46 Lat 35 28 S
L 75 21 W

3rd. Commenced calm. Middle and latter part
moderate breeze from S. Lat 35 52 S
146th Day 3m 43 L 75 16 W

4th. Variable winds. Latter part hauled in rain
squall to S S W. Got anchor off the bow
Off Takahano

5th. Commenced calm. Latter part moderate
breeze from S. Come to anchor in 7 fms.
at 3 o'clock P.M.

Takahano
Discharged cruisers ship a complement
of 19 all told. Took as freight 845 bbls
of oil from barge Mary Francis of
Warren and a passenger. Sailed for
home Apr 3rd at 2 P.M. with a
moderate breeze from S. Mid part
calm. Latter part light breeze from S.W.
Stermy S E Lat 35 58 S
147th Day 3m 44 L 75 47 W

6th. Light variable breezes & fair. Took in an-
chors & stowed them off. Saw land
2nd Day 3m 43 Lat 36 58 S
L 76 23 W

7th. First part moderate breeze from W. Mid part
from S. Latter part light from W.
3rd Day 3m 46 Lat 38 29 S
L 76 47 W

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Apr 7th

First part light breeze from Wnd. Latter part from W. & W and raining. Steering S
1st Day Ther 52 Lat 40. 34 P
L 75 42 W

Sun

Apr 8th

First & Middle part strong breeze from W. Split fil & parted Main Royal Be
steering. Latter part moderate breeze from
S.W. Mended a fil
5th Day Ther 55 Lat 42. 02 P
In 75. 27 W

Mon

Apr 9th

Strong breeze from W & S by E. Steady
swell from S.E. Steering S by W
6th Day Ther 55 Lat 44. 22 P
In 76 40 W

Tues

Apr 10th

First part gale from W by N and rain
latter part moderates & hauled to W by
steering W by S & by W & S by W
7th Day Ther 55 Lat 46 12 P
L " 77. 28 W

Wednes

Apr 11th

First & mid part strong breeze from
W. & W. Latter part hauled to W. W
moderate steering S by S. P. E Lat 48 17 P
8th Day Ther 57 L 78 35 P

Thurs

Apr 12th

First part moderate breeze from W. & S, clear
latter part hauled to S W & west clear
& light. Steering S P E & P E S. Saw a ship
9th Day Ther 49 Lat 50 19 P
L 77 53 W

Fri

Apr 13th

First part calm. Latter part strong breeze
from S. P. E & fair. Saw a steamer bound
10th Day Ther 46 Lat 51 26 P
In 79 01 W

Board Barge Course of the Bodge

Cape Horn

- 11th Commenced with strong winds from S. E. Latter part moderate on opposite tack
11th Day Thu 14th Lat 51 30 S
L 78 00 W
- 12th First part light breeze from S. E. At daylight land in sight (Cape Pillar and other) Latter part moderate breeze from W. S. W. Cloudy
Steering S. E. by S 12th Day Thu 14th Lat 52 40 S
L 76 14 W
- 13th First part moderate breeze from S. W. Mid. & latter part increased to moderate gale Carried away topmast & 2nd sail boom and end of fore yard. Steering S. E. & S. E. & E
13th Day Thu 15th Lat 55 14 S
L 74 15 W
- 14th First and middle part moderate gale from S. W. Latter part moderate and squally
12 M Diego Ramirez Bearing S. P. E. Dist 5 miles
14th Day Thu 15th Lat 56 18 S
L 68 26 W
- 15th First part moderate breeze from S. S. W. Steering S. E. by E. Latter part gale from N. and N. E.
15th Day Thu 15th Bar 28.80 Lat 56 26 S
L 65 00 W
- 16th First part gale abates. Mid land latter part light breeze from S. W. & fair. Steering S. E. by S
16th Day Thu 16th Lat 56 08 S
L 62 14 W
- 17th All these 24 hrs steady breeze from S. S. W. & fair. Steering S. E. by E
17th Day Thu 16th Lat 55 38 S
L 58 50 W

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Sat

Apr 21st All these 24 hrs moderate breeze
varying from N.N.W to W. Steering
from N.E. & E to N.N.E In Op 2
18th Day Yhr 15

Sun

Apr 22nd Moderate breeze from S.W. & good weather
Steering N.N.E Sat 52 15 P
19th Day Yhr 14 L 53 27 W

Mon

Apr 23rd First part winds light & variable
 Latter part fresh breeze from N.W. & cloudy
Steering N.N.E Sat by DR 50 10 P
20th Day Yhr 13 In . . 51 10 W

Tues

Apr 24th First part strong breeze from S.W.
 Latter part moderate. Steer N.E. & N.
21st Day Yhr 14 Sat 48 19 P
L 47 30 W

Weds

Apr 25th First part light variable winds.
 Latter part moderate breeze hailing
E.S.E to S. Steer N.N.E Sat 46 15 P
22nd Day Yhr 15 L 45 16 W

Thurs

Apr 26th All these 24 hrs light variable winds &
cloudy. Steering N.N.E. Saw sail ahead
23rd Day Yhr 18 Sat 45 22 P
L 44 12 W

Friday

Apr 27th Moderate variable wind & changeable
weather. Steer N.E. & N. Exchanged signals
with French ship Sat
24th Day Yhr 19 43 50 P
L 42 27 W

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26th Day 4th Mo 51
 Light breeze varying from S.W. to S.E.
 Calms. Steering S.E. 1/2 S. French ship in sight
 Lat 42 50 S
 L 41 35 W

27th Day 4th Mo 52
 First part moderate & steady breeze from
 S.W. Latter part fresh & squally from E.S.E.
 Lat 40 58 S
 L 40 40 W

28th Day 4th Mo 53
 Commenced with fresh breeze from E.S.E.
 Hauled to S.E. & increased to gale. Latter
 part moderates & hauled to S.W.
 Lat 39 50 S
 L 41 30 W

29th Day 4th Mo 54
 Commenced with strong breeze from
 S.W. Mid part increases. Put out fore
 top 9th sheet & hauled sail. After
 in squall carried away 1st boom.
 Hauled to cleared wreck Double reefed
 & kept away S.E. 1/2 S.
 Lat 38 22 S
 L 38 53 W

30th Day 4th Mo 55
 First part gale from S.W. with fresh flurries
 Latter part hauled to W and moderates
 Made new jibboom of spare top sail yard
 and sent it out. Steer S.E.
 Lat 36 34 S
 L 35 30 W

31st Day 4th Mo 56
 First part light breeze from W. Latter
 part calm. Finished reeving jibboom
 Steering S.E. 1/2 S.
 Lat 35 49 S
 L 34 42 W

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^{1st}
Wed

May 4th Light breeze from S.E. & calm
Sent up fine royal yard & sail

4th Day Jan 65

Lat 34 55 S

L 35 09 W

Thu

May 5th Commenced with light breeze from S.E. &
hauled to S. S.E. latter part fresh backed

5th Day Jan 65

Lat 34 00 S

L 34 18 W

Fri

May 6th First part strong breeze from S. S.E. & cloudy
latter part hauled to W. Steering S.E.

6th Day Jan 65

Lat 32 45 S

L 31 35 W

Sat

May 7th First part strong breeze from N.W. latter
part moderates

7th Day Jan 65

Lat 30 23 S

L 29 47

Sun

May 8th First part strong breeze from S. S.W. & cloudy
mid part violent squall from N.W. latter
part hauled to W. S.W. fair Steering N.

8th Day Jan 65

Lat 28 55 S

L 28 10 W

Mon

May 9th All these 24 hrs. moderate breeze from W. S.W.
& S.W. Steering by the wind No Obs

9th Day Jan 65

Lat by St 27.00 S

L " 27.50 W

Tues

May 10th First part light variable & raining latter
part moderate breeze from S.E. Steering S.

10th Day Jan 65

Lat 25 30 S

L 28 05 W

Wed

May 11th All these 24 hrs fresh breeze from S & S
cloudy. Steering S.E.

11th Day Jan 65

Lat 22 24 S

L 28 08 W

Thurs

Bedford on Board Barque Courser

South Atlantic

1860

- May 12 Strong breeze from S by E & cloudy. Latter part squally & rainy. At 8 A.M. passed Martin's bas rocks Bearing E. Dist $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles Steering $N\frac{1}{2}E$. 39th Day Th 77 Lat $19^{\circ} 15' S$ L $28^{\circ} 52' W$
- May 13th First part Strong breeze from S by W and squally Latter part Boldennus. Exchanged signals with an English Clipper and beat him. Saw a Brig 40th Day Th 79 Lat $19^{\circ} 35' S$ L $29^{\circ} 10' W$
- May 14th All these 24 hrs fresh breeze from E to N.E. Squally & rainy. Saw 6 sails lat by $21^{\circ} 15' S$ or P . 41st Day Th 77 Lat $29^{\circ} 60' W$
- May 15th First part "Boldennus". Latter part calm. Spoke Barque Looe had Bedford 58 Days from Folcathman & Ship Orion's Masts 48 days out. Bound to Val. Exchanged signals with an English Frigate 42 Day Th 83 Lat $14^{\circ} 20' S$ L $31^{\circ} 01' W$
- May 16th First & mid part calm Latter part light air from N.E. 4 sails in sight 43rd Day Th 85 Lat $13^{\circ} 49' S$ L $31^{\circ} 17' W$
- May 17th Moderate breezes varying from E to N.E. with frequent rain squalls. Saw 3 sails 44th Day Th 85 Lat $12^{\circ} 05' S$ L $31^{\circ} 57' W$
- May 18th Light breeze from N.E. by N & fair weather 4 sails in sight 45th Day Th 86 Lat $10^{\circ} 00' S$ L $32^{\circ} 15' W$

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Equator

Sat
May 1st Brisk breeze from E and fair. Steering
N by E 2 E. Saw a sail ahead
4th Day Thu 85 Lat 7 26 S
L 32 35 W

Sun
May 2nd First & middle part moderate breeze from
S E and fair latter part hauled to S E &
moderate latter part kept away N W 1/2 N
4th Day Thu 83 Lat 5 06 P
L 33 09 W

Mon
May 2nd First & middle part light breeze
varying from S by W to S E. latter part
variable. Steering N W 1/2 P D N 1/2 W
4th Day Thu 84 Lat 3 52 S
L 34 36 W

Tues
May 2nd Commenced variable middle part
light breeze from S. P. E. & fair. Ends variable
raining. Steering N
4th Day Thu 74 Lat 2 23 S
L 35 22 W

Wed
May 2nd Commenced variable & calm. Mid part
light air from S. E. & S. latter part steady light
breeze from S. E. & fair. Steering N by E & N by E 1/2 E
5th Day Thu 86 Lat 1 14 S
L 35 43 W

Thurs
May 2nd All these 24 hrs light steady breeze from E. S. E.
and fine weather. Steering N by E
5th Day Thu 87 Lat 10 N
L 35 44 W

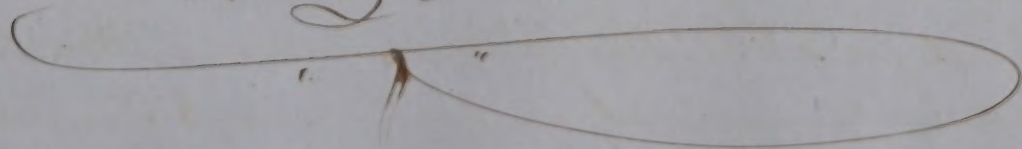
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May 2nd First part light air from E & latter part calm
Steering N 52nd Day Thu 87 Lat 28 N
L 35 55 W

Sat
May 2nd Light breeze from S E & calm
53rd Day Thu 89 Lat 50 N
L 35 35
Strong Easterly Current

Bedford on board Barge Courier

North Atlantic

360 m 27 th	Calm	Calm	Lat 50. N
	54 th Day	Thur 87	Lon 24. 34. 35. 09
Mon 28 th	Light variable breezes & calms		
	55 th Day	Thur 87	Lat 1. 08. N
			Lon 34. 26. W
Tues 29 th	Calms. Fair. Shine. Calms & winds		
	56 th Day	Fri 87	Lat 2. 01. N
			Lon 34. 10. W
Wed 30 th	Light variable winds from S to E. and rain squalls. Steering S by W		
	57 th Day	Fri 87	Lat 3. 08. N
			Lon 34. 56. W
Thur 31 st	Light breezes from S.E. to fair. Steering S. by W		
	58 th Day	Fri 87	Lat 4. 15. N
			Lon 35. 37. W
Frid 1 st	Light breezes with calms & rain squalls varying from E to E to S.E. Steering S. by E. N		
	59 th Day	Sat 87	Lat 5. 03. N
			Lon 36. 18. W
Sat 2 nd	Commenced with light air from S.E. Mid part moderate breeze & heavy rain latter part moderate breeze from E. N.E. & rainy Steering S. by W. No 62		
	60 th Day	Sat 87	Lat 6. 00. N
			Lon 37. 33. W
Sun 3 rd	All these 24 hrs fresh breeze varying from S.E. to S. N.E. & fair Steering N.W. by N. N		
	61 st Day	Sat 87	Lat 7. 18. N
			Lon 40. 33. W
Mon 4 th	Steady breeze from S.E. to S.E. by E & fair. Steer by the wind		
	62 nd Day	Sun 87	Lat 9. 28. N
			Lon 41. 55. W



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Tues

June 5th Fresh breeze from E N E & few squalls
Steering S. by W & S. by W 1/2 W
Painted forward Cabin

15th Day June 80 Lat 12 27 N
L 44 21 W

Wednes

June 6th Fresh breeze first & middle part from
E N E latter part from E. Steering S. by W 1/2 N
16th Day June 83 Lat 15 20 N
L 46 28 W

Thurs

June 7th Fresh steady breeze from E & fair. Steering
S. by W 1/2 N. Painting masts & Pantry
17th Day June 84 Lat 17 48 N
L 48 36 W

Friday

June 8th Fresh breeze from E and fine weather. Steer
S. by W 1/2 N. Saw a white barge with the
letters T B (Theodore Barbel Harve) in fore
topsail. Exchanged signals with an
American barge. Both bound west
18th Day June 86 Lat 20 38 N
L 50 50 W

Sat

June 9th First part squally. Mid & latter part mod-
erate breeze from E & fair. Steering S. by W
1/2 N. Saw a large barge bound west.
Darnished cabins
19th Day June 83 Lat 22 44 N
L 52 27 W

Sun

June 10th Moderate breeze from S. P. E and fine weath-
er. Steering S. by W 1/2 N
20th Day June 81 Lat 24 20 N
L 56 56 W

Mon

June 11th Steady breeze from S. P. E & fair. Ends with
wind from W. P. W & fair. General. Hoisted out
anchors & washed ship.
21st Day June 82 Lat 26 04 N
L 55 47 W

New Bedford on Board B. Brown

North Atlantic

1860

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12th Moderate breeze from S.W. to fair first &
Mid part latter part Mid part rainy
Commenced painting inside. Steer
NW 1/2 N 7th Day Th 80 Lat 28 17 N
L 57 34 W

13th Commenced with moderate breeze from S.W.
Mid part struck aback with squall from S.
and rain. Latter part hauled to P.W. End
with rain squall from P.W. Steer NW 1/2 N
17th Day Th 79 Lat 29 15 N
L 59 02 W

14th Wind all round the compass. & Rain squalls
Steer NW 1/2 N 12th Day Th 78 Lat 30 25 N
L 59 54 W

15th First part light variable winds & rain
Mid part fresh breeze from S.W. fair. Latter
part calm. Steer NW 1/2 N. Lat 31 36 N
7th Day Th 76 Lat 31 36 N
L 60 56 W

16th Commenced calm Mid part light breeze
from S.E. & cloudy. Latter part hauled to
S.W. with rain. Steer NW 1/2 trying to parallel
7th Day Th 75 Lat 32 31 N
L 62 00 W

17th First & middle part strong breeze from S.W.
& squally. Latter part hauled to NW 1/2 W
& fair. Steer NW 1/2 W. Lat 33 41 N
7th Day Th 74 Lat 33 41 N
L 64 27 W

18th All these 24 hrs. fresh breeze from W N W &
N.W. with fresh flares. Steer by the wind
Latter part hauled to W. Lat 35 51 N
7th Day Th 73 Lat 35 51 N
L 66 24 W

Journal of a voyage towards S. Beach

1850

Tues June
19th

Commenced with fresh breeze from N.W.
Mid part moderate. Latter part calm
Painting outside. Boarded Barge
Montezuma Hammond 8 days from
New York bound to Barbadoes

17th Day "In 80" Lat 35 15 N
L 66 38 W

Wednes
20th

Commenced calm. Mid part light breeze
from S.W. Mid part strong & tempestuous
in edge of Gulf Stream. Ends fair with
moderate breeze from W.N.W. Stem N.W. N

18th Day "In air 76" Lat 37 30 N
Water 80' L 68 15 W

Thurs

June 21st

First part light breeze from W.N.W. to
N.W. fair. Latter part moderate calm
from S.E. Squally & rainy. Steer N.W.

19th Day "In 66" Lat 39 12 N
Water 70' L 68 10 W

Frid

June 22

First & middle part strong winds from
N.E. & cloudy. Latter hauled to S.E. &
very light. 21 sails in sight. Steer for
Block V. Made Block V at 10th 27 N

20th Day "In 66" Error in 60' L 71 38 W

Sat

June 23rd

First part calm made Fire Island light
bearing N.W. by W dist 15 miles. Latter
part light air from S.E. & fair. Photo
Barge Massachusetts. 86 Days from Feb.
& Bigantine Chap. Heath

Middle of Block Island Dist
81st Day 10 miles.

Busard's Bay

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nd

2th Moderate breeze from E. N. E. & fair looking
along Long Island. At 5 P.M. took Pilot
from Vineyard Boat Josiah Sturgis off.
82nd Day Jan 12 Off Montauk Pt.

